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OVER 1000 HURT AND 3 KILLED IN STRIKE

EIGHTH STREET TO BE REOPENED AT ONCE

The Board of Public Works Has Decided to Have It Done as Speedily as Possible

The Eighth street bridge and causeway is soon to be reopened to traffic. As speedily as it can be done a roadway will be made on the embankment and the old wooden bridge at the eastern end temporarily repaired for vehicle traffic. A street railroad track is already in operation on the southern side of the dyke.

It has been decided by the Board of Public Works that the restoration of Eighth street to traffic is an urgency, and that work on it should be prosecuted as vigorously as the means at

the disposal of the board would permit.

The Council has placed \$499 at the disposal of the board for the work on Eighth street, and other grants will be made as the work proceeds.

To expedite the filling an arrangement has been made with the Ransome-Crummy Company to furnish a lot of earth and rock that was intended for use on another job. Estimates of the cost are now being prepared. An appropriation for a permanent bridge across the waterway will be included in the budget for the coming fiscal year.

Mayor Mott and City Attor-

ney Stetson made a person inspection of the bridge, and then called in City Engineer Turner and Street Superintendent Howe to devise plans for reopening the street as expeditiously as possible. By appropriating the money in small lots, as the work progresses, the filling can be pushed without delay. It will take some time to create a firm roadway for loaded vehicles over the long earth fill leading to the west end of the bridge.

However, the important thing is that the Board of Public Works has decided that Eighth street shall be reopened with all possible dispatch.

WIFE CAUGHT HUSBAND IN CULPABLE ACTION

Divorce Granted to Spouse of the Superintendent of Express Firm.

In the testimony upon which Superior Judge Ogden this forenoon granted her an interlocutory decree of divorce, Mrs. Alice Andrews of this city charges that her husband, Amador Andrews, 60 years old and superintendent of the Adams Express company in Boston, attempted to ruin her minor daughter by a former marriage and was guilty of other heinous and unnatural brutalities. Mrs. Andrews' former husband was Askey K. Garter, son of a prominent New York judge, and the result of this union was Isabelle Garter, a pretty girl, not 18 years old. Her mother charges that Andrews attempted to criminally assault her one night in her room at the family residence after he had gone through the legal formality of adopting her as his own daughter.

AWAKENED BY SHRIEK.
This alleged crime, according to Mrs. Andrews, occurred April 7, 1903, about 10:30 o'clock, and was the cause of all of her subsequent domestic troubles. On the evening in question, Mrs. Andrews testified, she was suddenly awakened by a shriek from her daughter's room and immediately leaped out of bed and rushed in. As she entered the room she saw her husband making a hasty and skulking exit therefrom. She immediately took her daughter to her room and found that while he had brutally and viciously assaulted the child the latter's screams had saved her from being outraged.

So incensed was the mother over the unnatural conduct of Andrews, she asserts, that arming herself with a loaded shotgun she went to her husband's room to

WOMAN HAS RECORD FOR LONG APPENDIX; HER'S IS NINE INCHES

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The recent contest for the honor of having the longest vermiform appendix proves to have been so much wasted time. The real record is held in New York City and was set several months ago. From an authoritative source the announcement came today that on May 6, 1909, Dr. Harold Meeker of this city removed from a woman patient an appendix measuring nine inches, which he now has in his possession. This appears to set aside the championship claims of Edward Ross of Sharon, Pa., seven inches; Howard Gould of Winthrop, Mass., seven and seven-eighths inches; and George Goss, the former Yale football star, six inches. The average appendix is from two to three inches long.

'Shame on Christians' Cries Dying Murderer

Declares From Electric Chair He Was Innocent of Woman's Death.

OSHSING, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Carlo Guro, convicted of murdering Mrs. Sophie L. Staker in Brooklyn last July, was electrocuted in Sing Sing prison today, protesting his innocence to the last. Just before the current was turned on the condemned man murmured a prayer and then cried:

"Shame on you, Christian people, who put me to death when I am not guilty."

Guro was convicted with Frederick Schlemann of having shot and killed Mrs. Staker while robbing the Staker house. Schlemann is awaiting execution.

Train Hits Trolley And Two Are Killed

More Than Twenty Others Are Hurt, Several May Be Fatal.

DENVER, Feb. 23.—Two persons were killed, two are believed to have been fatally injured and twenty others were hurt in a wreck this afternoon between a Union Pacific passenger train and a street car in Denver.

The accident occurred at the corner of Forty-second avenue and Josephine street. The engine of the passenger train, which was running at high speed, struck the front part of the street car, hurling it across the tracks. The motorman and a woman passenger were killed. It is feared a number of the injured may die.

IDENTITY OF SKELETON PROVES TO BE HOAX

Tunzi and His "Corpse" Are Located in City of San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Like the bursting of a soap bubble, the latest theory regarding the Tamalpais murder mystery has exploded this morning after a sensational dash after the supposed murderer, and the finding of the alleged "corpse" in his company. Sheriff William P. Taylor, of Marin county, through the identification of the clothing of the dead woman by Mrs. Leonard Russell Tuttle of Mill Valley, has been searching for James S. Tunzi, whom he believed was responsible for the crime.

At 8:30 this morning Captain Norman was startled by receiving a message at police headquarters saying that Tunzi was at 1046 Golden Gate avenue. Detective Ryan and O'Dea jumped into a machine and sped out to that address to find that they were on the wrong track and that the bird had flown to 733 Fifth avenue.

FIND TUNZI.
From their visit several places until the trail led around to an office building at 315 Sutter street, where they came upon Tunzi going up in the elevator.

"I guess I'm the man you want," he said to the officers and handcuffs were produced, the belief being that he was surely the culprit.

"Let me introduce you to Miss Rose McKay," said Tunzi, whimsically pointing to the woman, and the officers were too amazed to do more than step back and return the handcuffs to their pockets.

However, they brought the pair to police headquarters where they were held pending the arrival of Sheriff William P. Taylor. Although there was nothing against them.

The woman's true name is Miss Mattie McKean, while that of Tunzi is Serafino Oils Tunzi. For seven years the couple have lived as man and wife and at present both are working as a cook and as a laborer, at 2914 Fulton street, in the James Nute sheet metal works.

"I'm a pretty lively corpse, don't you think?" said Miss McKean, when interviewed. "I have never been in Eureka in my life. It is true, however, that I did work for Mrs. Tuttle, and I have been in Mill Valley. I don't believe I've been there, however, since July, 1908. I

NELSON BEGS FOR ANOTHER CHANCE AT WOLGAST

Says He Has \$11,000 of Own Money to Bet He is Conqueror.

DEFEATED MAN SHOWS EFFECTS OF BEATING

Sits in Turkish Bath and Receives Condolence of His Friends.

MOST SEVERELY BATTERED FIGHTER IS BAT NELSON

The punishment given Bat Nelson at yesterday's go by Ad Wolgast may be indicated by the following list of injuries, which have to be seen to be appreciated. Left eye completely closed; pupil can scarcely be seen. Left ear crushed. Side of head lacerated near left ear. Right ear bruised and torn. Nose flattened on both sides. Lower jaw battered and cut. Upper lip battered and torn. Right cheek bulged through heavy blow in face. Left eyebrow lacerated. Forehead contused and bruised. Left side of body black and blue. Several marks on chest indicating where punches struck. Chin contused. Left side of face battered and bruised. Slight wounds on head.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Bat Nelson is a defeated champion, but as he sat in one of the main rooms at the Sultan Baths this morning, nursing his bruises, bemoaning the decision which forced him to withdraw from the fight, and regretting that he had lost the title, he indicated that he was ready for another go at Wolgast, at any time, any place and at any terms which will allow him to put \$11,000 of his own money on the combat.

"You can see that I'm not beaten," he declared. "Why, if I'd had got a punch at him at any time he'd have gone down and out, while he couldn't have gone through me in the same way. Tell you if the referee hadn't stopped the fight I'd have beaten him. I suppose they think it was a fair decision, and all that, but if I could have gotten a smash at him he'd have gone down and out for keeps."

BEMOANS CHAMPIONSHIP.
"I told the referee that once, when he came to my corner. This go was different. It meant the championship to me and I should have been allowed to stay in a little longer. I'm ready to fight him again, and I want the return match as soon as possible. Let Wolgast name the time and place, and I'll be there. I can down him yet. The best evidence of a man's gameness is his willingness to put up his own money."

"I'm a game loser, but I'll come through. The odds will be on him next time, on account of his winning, but I'll bet him five hundred dollars that I can lick him. Then I'll be him \$100 to \$1000 that he can't beat me in twenty rounds, and I'll bet him \$1000 to \$5000 that I can knock him out in twenty rounds. There's \$11,000, and I'm ready to put it up. Why I could fight today. I feel fine."

ALL INJURIES VISIBLE.
"Of course, I'm battered up, but I'm in condition. You see I can move my arms and swing them all."

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WASHINGTON SWORE AND DRANK AND WAS ONLY HUMAN

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—"I am glad that modern historians have ceased to make Washington a plaster of Paris saint with a tin halo," declared the Rev. Dr. Rufus P. Johnston in his address last night before the Washington headquarters Association in New York.

"Washington was human," continued Johnston. "He was a man among men. He was fond of hunting and horse races and he also drank. He even swore, we are told, and I am glad of it because there are times when a good oath seems to be the most natural vent for a man's emotions."

GRAND JURY TO PROBE WOMAN'S CHARGE

District Attorney Is Ready to Present Evidence Against Dr. Burke.

MAKE USE OF DYNAMITE TO PROVE EVIDENCE

Physician Confident He Will be Exonerated of Attempting Murder.

SANTA ROSA, Feb. 23.—Awaiting the meeting tomorrow of the grand jury, District Attorney Lea is prepared to present to that body the mass of evidence he has obtained bearing on the recent dynamite explosion in the tent of Luella Smith on the grounds of Dr. Willard P. Burke's sanitarium.

Experiments with dynamite and other explosives have been made, to show their effect on a frail structure such as a tent, and every clue tending to furnish a motive for the crime, of which Dr. Burke is accused, has been followed by the prosecuting officers.

Dr. Burke has had several consultations with his attorneys and reassures himself as confident of exoneration.

DOCTOR OUT ON BAIL.
Dr. Burke is now enjoying his liberty on \$20,000 bail, and is busy arranging his defense with the aid of Attorneys Miram Johnson of San Francisco and Rollo Leppo of this city.

The experiments with dynamite were conducted at the stone quarries on the outskirts of the city. The tests were not heralded. The quarries were selected so that the dynamite blasts could be fired without attracting undue attention.

Dr. Burke is charged by the prosecution with having brought the dynamite used in the explosion at his sanitarium from his Kanaka Peak gold mine, in Butte county.

EXPERT TO BE WITNESS.
Immediately before his arrest last Sunday week the physician denied to District Attorney Lea, in the presence of witnesses, that he ever had occasion to use dynamite about the sanitarium grounds. Depositions have been secured from miners employed at the Kanaka Peak mine, however, stating that Dr. Burke secured six sticks of dynamite from them last December, saying that he wished to use it to remove a boulder from the sanitarium grounds.

John Birmingham, expert on explosives, who inspected the shattered tent-house occupied by Miss Smith and her baby at the sanitarium of Dr. Burke, will be among the new witnesses called by the prosecution before the grand jury.

Leslie M. Shaw Warns Diners Against Japs

Pleads for Merchant Marine As a Solution of the Menacing Peril.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—A speech by Leslie M. Shaw, former secretary of the treasury, in which the possibility of coming trouble with Japan is strongly suggested, excited considerable comment here today. Shaw, who spoke last night in Morristown, N. J., at a dinner of the Washington Association there. He pleaded up before his auditors the peril of Japanese domination of the Pacific.

"Japan," declared the former cabinet member, "proposes to dominate the Pacific or make it run red. There is race hatred between the countries. You go to Japan to live and you live where you're told to live. The Japanese come here and want to live where they please."

Storage Auction Sale of Valuable Carpets and Household Goods.

At Lyons' Storage, main fire-proof warehouse, 671 Broadway, near Grove, Friday, February 25th, at 10:30 a. m., consisting of 150 yards of Royal Wilton Moquet Rugs, Body Brussels Carpets, in use only a few months; also large rugs; also a general line of household furniture, including several lots of old weathered oak parlor pieces, antique chairs and rockers, good as new. Sale rain or shine.

CHOICE AUCTION SALE
of the fine furniture, carpets, piano, jewelry, etc., of J. Beamer Estate and others. Also a fine lot of new carpets, gent's overcoats, etc., from the railroad company. Sale 1001 Clay st., near Tenth, Oakland, open for inspection Thursday, Friday, February 24th, at 10:30 a. m., comprising in part one fine upright piano, three diamond rings, three solid gold watches, silverware, cut glass, brass beds, iron beds, odd bric-a-brac, and oak dressers, folding beds, chifoniers, bedding, fine steel range, gas range, linoleum, trunks and contents, chests and tool, etc., also new saws, about 1500 yards of carpet on the roll, two cases of gent's overcoats, large rugs, curtains, etc., from the railroad company. All must and will be sold. House for sale cheap by Juster & Baird. J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.

Some of Women Who May Appear Before Grand Jury

MISS WINIFRED GORDON
DR. BURKE'S NURSE



Bank Short \$144,000; Doors Ordered Closed

Cambridge, Mass., Institution Suspend by Direction of Currency Comptroller.

BOSTON, Feb. 23.—The National City Bank of Cambridge closed its doors today by order of the comptroller of the currency at Washington. A bank examiner is now in charge of the institution.

G. W. Coleman is the name given at the office of the comptroller of the currency as the bookkeeper of the National City Bank of Cambridge, whose default caused the closing of the institution. He has fled. His shortage more than wipes out the capital stock of \$100,000 and the surplus and undivided profits amounting to \$35,400, thus making the bank insolvent. The deposits amount to \$125,432 and the loans and discounts to \$208,625.

Comptroller Murray will appoint a receiver. National Bank Examiner Ellis Pepper was appointed temporary receiver. George W. Coleman, bookkeeper of the bank, has been absent from Cambridge for several days. At last accounts he was in Kansas City.

Railroad and Administrator's Auction Sale.

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RIOTERS FIRE BULLETS AT WOMEN ON CAR

More Than a Thousand Are Injured in Philadelphia by Angry Mob.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION DECIDES NOT TO JOIN

Public Safety Director Opposes Plan to Call Out State Troops for Aid.

HERE ARE DEVELOPMENTS IN PHILADELPHIA STRIKE

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.—With the exception that much less disorder was reported from the street car strike situation in Philadelphia has undergone little change since yesterday.

Under heavy police protection, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company is operating a large number of cars on all its lines running to the center of the city. The service is uncertain and the public is not patrolling the cars to any extent.

The company declares it has more than 800 cars in operation and that it has men enough to man 1400 cars. As usual the strikers are disputed by the strikers who declare the company is operating to the limit of its resources and that the number of cars on the streets is lower even than yesterday.

Advertisements have been inserted in newspapers by the transit company for \$6000 a week. This is taken as indicating that the company and the city are about to make a determined effort to continue the service.

If the police can not handle the expected disorder an appeal to the governor likely will be made. The communication to the governor has already been drawn up and signed by Mayor Reeburn and Sheriff Joseph Gilliland and it is suspected it is now in Harrisburg.

The state police may be drawn into the strike situation at any moment. Except for the twenty-eight officers, they number 500 men, divided into four companies. These companies are stationed at Pottsville, Wilkesbarre, Pottsville and Greensburg and are ordered to be ready to move at once if called upon.

No effort has been made to bring about peace between the strikers and the company today. The company declares it does not seek a settlement through outside persons and that it is determined to settle with the union by its own way. There was little talk today of a general labor strike and such a radical move is not looked for at present.

The noon hour passed with little disorder. There were disturbances at Third street and Seventh street caused by the stoning of cars, but the throng was kept moving by mounted policemen.

Kennedy's funeral, the usual mixup between the nonunion workmen and the workers. From three different mills working girls secured permission by pelting cars with anything that could be thrown from bobbins to iron bolts. One heavy missile penetrated a car roof but no one was hurt.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.

Three dead, two lying at the point of death in hospitals and more than a thousand persons injured is the toll exacted by the reign of lawlessness which has existed in this city since the street car strike started three days ago.

It is understood that Mayor Reeburn is anxious to call upon the state troops, but Director of Public Safety Clay is opposed to this procedure.

The director urges that the state police, an experienced mounted organization which has done effective duty in different parts of the state, should first be called upon. There are, however, only 200 men in this organization, but they are the pick of the state.

There was a serious disturbance during the noon hour at the Hall's Lecon olive works, where 12,000 workmen are employed. As these men were returning from the noon day meal they congregated at Fifteenth and Spring Garden streets, 100 yards from the United States Mint and noted the passers and crew of every car that passed.

The intervention became chaotic.

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MAY PROCEED IN PIERCE INQUEST

Grand Jury Expert Has Not Yet
Started on Books of
Auditor.

There will be another session of the grand jury tomorrow, at which it is altogether probable that the investigation of County Auditor George S. Pierce's office will be continued.

The appointment by the Board of Supervisors of an expert accountant to get at the exact condition of the books and accounts in the Auditor's office, Deputy District Attorney Clark said this forenoon, would not, he believed, interfere with the grand jury work.

"There is a possibility that the grand jury may temporarily suspend further investigation of Pierce's office until his expert accountant gets along in his work, but I hardly think so. We have plenty of material upon which to work as it is and my best information is that the grand jury will go ahead as if the books were not to be expected."

County Auditor Pierce stated this morning that the expert had not yet entered upon his duties but that when he came into his office he would render him every assistance in his work. He says that his books and everything else pertaining to his office and the business of the county will be found to be in first-class condition.

GATEWAY CASE IN HIGHEST TRIBUNAL

Important Issues Involved in
Regulation of the
Railways.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—What purports to be the final contest over the famous "Portland gateway case" took place today before the Supreme Court of the United States, when counsel for both sides of the controversy argued the dispute. Charles W. Sumner appeared for the Northern Pacific Railway Company and Wade H. Ellis, assistant to the attorney general, for the government.

The controversy is whether the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission requiring the Northern Pacific to enter into joint rates between Puget Sound points and Eastern points via Portland, Ore., is to stand. The principle involved, it is said, reached every section of the country.

The Northern Pacific is resisting the order on the ground that the commission had no authority to issue it.

Counsel for the government contends that the order cannot be set aside by the courts merely for the reason that the courts, if placed in the position of the commission, would not have ordered the true route via Portland. It is claimed that as far as a considerable portion of the public is concerned, the Northern Pacific route may not be at all seasons and under all circumstances a "satellite" and reasonable one, as is asserted by the railroad.

DIES FROM SHOCK OF AMPUTATION

John Johnson Had His Leg
Crushed Under Wheels
of Train.

RICHMOND, Feb. 23.—John Johnson died here this morning at the Abbott sanitarium as a result of shock following the amputation of his leg which had been run over and crushed by the Santa Fe train near the depot here yesterday afternoon.

Johnson was an employee of the Hawaiian Sugar Refinery and was well known at Crockett where he lived and was a member of several of the fraternal orders at that place. It was after disembarking from the train yesterday while on his way to the Nelson-Wolcott fight that he became confused by the switching of the cars while walking along the track. In seeking the approach of one train he was knocked down and his leg crushed under the wheels of an engine that came upon him from the opposite direction. The deceased was 35 years of age.

Our critics may be our best friends, but we do not embarrass them by leaving them money in our wills.

Are You Putting By Money for a Home?

- Money for a home—this is certainly a good incentive for any young man who wishes something worth while.
- An account with the Central Bank added to regularly and aided by the interest on your deposits will accomplish the desired result.
- Your account is cordially invited.

Interest Paid on Savings Accounts

Central Bank

Oakland, California

TERROR REIGN CONTINUES RAMPANT IN QUAKER CITY

Company Claims to Be Able to Run Cars
if Authorities Will Give Them Ample
Police Protection—Few Operated

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ed and a riot call was sent in. Mounted policemen came galloping up and drove the great crowd into Broad street, the city's main thoroughfare. While this was going on there came from the windows of the shops a hail of rivets, bolts and iron bars.

With this flank movement in their support, the rioting crowd became bolder. Out came the revolvers of the mounted men and the half hundred foot policemen, and there was a fusillade of shots, the weapons being pointed upward.

The shooting scared only a few of the men and there was no general break for cover. It seems to be more of a feeling crowd than a mob bent on vengeance, and it slowly dispersed.

Thus far the rioters have made street cars the principal objects of their attacks. The northeastern section of the city and Market street, under the very eyes of the Mayor, have been the main scenes of their operations.

Dynamite was used last night in a car barn in the northeastern section, where seven policemen were asleep. No one was injured.

The fact that the sympathetic strike was not declared by P. C. Murphy, John J. Murphy of the Central Labor Union acted as a panacea to the tired police officials of the city, who were anticipating a strike of 100,000 men. A grove is on foot, however, to have the sympathizers parade peacefully to the city hall, 100,000 strong and there show the mayor the proportions of the threatened uprising.

A careful investigation in the city shows that Murphy, as head of the Central Labor Union, has no power to order a general strike, but is only vested with the authority to suggest one. It then rests with each trade union to act upon the matter.

JOKED WITH TROOPS.

The placing on guard of the State Penitentiary along Lehigh avenue yesterday is admitted to have been a mistake.

By the anti-militarism which enjoys the use of a city army are mostly very young men, some of them mere boys. They were placed all along the street and when the residents of the great mill district of Kensington heard of the arrival of the young soldiers they turned out in force to greet them.

Practical jokes of every description were played upon members of the Penitentiary. Some were partially stripped of their clothing and after their arms had been taken from them, were chased up and down the streets by bands of young roughs. The girls of the district collected the brass buttons from the uniforms as souvenirs.

The young soldiers were not assembled in squads but were stationed some times a square apart. One girl stuck a hat pin in a soldier's back which caused him to jump and the crowd to laugh.

BOYS ATTACK CARS.

That attacks on the trolley cars in the northeastern section were in a number of cases planned by gangs of boys, is shown by the anti-militarism statement made by one of the youths shot in yesterday's rioting.

More than 1000 persons have been arrested for rioting and 39 have been indicted by the Grand Jury.

The stock of window glass in the city suitable for car windows has been exhausted and no more broken windows can be replaced until glass is obtained. More than 2000 windows were broken yesterday.

ARE OPERATING CARS.

At 9 o'clock this morning the Traction Company announced that it had 664 cars in operation, or three more than at the same hour yesterday. This number, it was stated, would be increased during the day to 800. The company also declared that it had enough men to man 1400 cars if the city could provide sufficient policemen.

As one or two policemen are on each car the company says the city is not in a position to furnish protection to all the cars and at the same time take care of the general police situation. The number of cars normally operated is 1800.

The Traction Company opened its Frankford line for the first time since the strike started and a company official said four or five important lines might be put in operation tonight. This he said, depended on developments today. The Frankford line traverses part of the Kensington district in the north and the first car was induced to start at 6:30 a. m. When it left the barn at Frankford avenue and Bridge street it carried four policemen, but no passengers.

When it turned from Frankford avenue into Kensington avenue it was met by

four mounted policemen who rode behind it along the highway, which has been the scene of much disorder. At every twenty feet along the line stood a policeman with a heavy riot club a yard long.

Both sides of the street were well filled with people, but the show of police forces had a quieting effect.

At Forty-fourth and Lancaster in West Philadelphia about 9 o'clock two cars coupled together and carrying twelve passengers and two policemen were fired on by an unidentified man standing at the curb. With the first shot the passengers, four of whom were women, threw themselves on the floor of the car and the policemen gave chase but the man got away.

The youth third victim. The third death as the result of the conflict between the police and the strike sympathizers occurred today when John Hough, 18 years old, died in the Samaritan Hospital.

A policeman who was protecting a motorman saw him throwing stones at the car. He opened fire on him and one bullet struck Hough in the neck. Hough is the boy who in an ante-mortem statement to the coroner said he was one of an organized gang of 150 carpet mill employees who had agreed to assemble and stone cars.

Governor Stuart, who spent Washington, D. C., in the city last night, returned at 10 a. m. He said he had not received a call from the Mayor for State troops.

TROOPERS IN READINESS. PITTSBURG, Feb. 23.—All state constabulary troops in this district, including Johnstown, Greensburg and Jeannette, numbering more than 100 men, have been ordered to mobilize today at the Pennsylvania training barracks ready to proceed at once with full field equipment to Philadelphia.

blow his brains out. Mrs. Andrews accused him of the crime and told the court that Andrews made a full confession of his guilt.

"Then he opened the gun he carried on his hip and shot me," she explained. "He shot me in the breast and I fell. My better judgment prevailed on account of my daughter and our son, and this is what happened."

My daughter was only 12 years of age at that time and he is a man who weighs from 215 to 220 pounds, stands five feet and is about 6 feet 2 inches tall.

The Andrews were married in Boston in November, 1898, four years after the wife's first husband died. Mrs. Andrews left her second spouse in July, 1908, after putting up with the latter's alleged cruelty for more than six years.

It was while the family was living at Newton, Massachusetts, that Andrews made his alleged attack upon the little girl, and from that time on there was a series of disorders and rows in the household.

OTHER ALLEGATIONS. While the family was residing at 121 L. L. in 1908, according to the testimony, Andrews and some one else at 10:30 o'clock and under the pretense of being intoxicated drew a revolver and threatened to exterminate all members of the family and the servants and the police.

On other occasions he would abuse his wife so shamefully that the servants were compelled to interfere and once he deliberately knocked his wife down because she would not agree to put up with his abuse. Her eyes were badly discolored, a result of the blow Andrews struck.

CAME HERE FOR DIVORCE. Immediately after the separation Mrs. Andrews took her daughter and son and came to California for the purpose of establishing a residence here for the purpose of a divorce. She told the court that Andrews had an income of \$3000 a year from the Adams Express company, with which he has been connected in responsible positions for many years.

When Mrs. Andrews married him Andrews was the company's manager in New York. She was transferred to Pittsburgh and from there went to Boston, at which latter place his position was increased to a superintendency.

Upon the financial showing made, Mrs. Andrews was given \$250 an alimony and for the support and maintenance of the children, together with the permanent custody of the latter and \$750 as attorney's fees. George McDougall appeared as counsel for Mrs. Andrews.

Try Marine Eye Remedy For Red, Weak, Watery Eyes. Try Marine For Your Eyes. You will like Marine.

Heiress Kept Secret For Seven Long Years KANSAS CITY, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Albert S. Chandler, 4439 Third avenue, who is expected shortly to receive about \$120,000 from the Drake millions in New York, is an heiress who kept the fact a secret from her husband for seven years.

"It was so secret in the future and so uncertain that I simply never mentioned it to Albert," explained Mrs. Chandler.

Now that the inheritance is not so much in the future and not quite so uncertain, Chandler, who is a native-born woman in No. 3 district, and before last summer was a motorman on the Troost avenue car line, has been admitted to the secret.

Three Are Injured In an Auto Accident SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Miss Ella Smith of the Hotel Argonaut was severely injured and Claude Pasquel and Frank E. Shadock of the same hotel, were slightly bruised in an automobile accident on Montgomery street, near Jackson, at an early hour this morning.

This party were being driven in a taxi-cab belonging to the Pacific Auto Livery Company, of 2112 Polk street. The chauffeur, Roy Glendinning, was proceeding down Montgomery when his car swerved, dashed into an iron trolley pole, and spilled the four occupants upon the pavement. The auto was wrecked but another car was pressed into service and the three passengers were conveyed to the hotel.

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SEEK INFORMATION ON BIGGER OAKLAND FOR MANUFACTORIES

Inquiries are being received by the Chamber of Commerce from large manufacturing houses of the East, in which the concerns ask for information regarding the prospects for establishing their factories in Oakland. About forty manufacturers have sent postal cards asking for details about Greater Oakland. The curiosity of the managers of the various factories has been aroused by the literature that has recently been sent to them in which Oakland has been boosted and widely advertised.

Among the Eastern houses making inquiry as to the lay of the land in this city are the Paint and Varnish Manufacturing Company, Alabama; Cotton Waste and Paper Stocks, Rhode Island; Electrical Supply and Contracting Company, Holyoke, Mass.; Hosiery Business, Philadelphia; Paper Box and Lithographing Plant, Rochester, N. Y.; Mirror and Art Glass Works, Detroit, Mich.; Casket and Furniture Factory, Findlay, O.; Manufacturing Soap and Washing Powder, New York; and a manufacturer of scouring and carbonizing brushes, Milbury, Mass.; manufacturer of electrical specialties, Detroit, Mich.; manufacturers of shoe polishes, dressings, etc., Baltimore, Md.

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST HUSBAND

Wife Says Spouse Adopted
Daughter to Make Love
to Her.

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blow his brains out. Mrs. Andrews accused him of the crime and told the court that Andrews made a full confession of his guilt.

"Then he opened the gun he carried on his hip and shot me," she explained. "He shot me in the breast and I fell. My better judgment prevailed on account of my daughter and our son, and this is what happened."

My daughter was only 12 years of age at that time and he is a man who weighs from 215 to 220 pounds, stands five feet and is about 6 feet 2 inches tall.

The Andrews were married in Boston in November, 1898, four years after the wife's first husband died. Mrs. Andrews left her second spouse in July, 1908, after putting up with the latter's alleged cruelty for more than six years.

It was while the family was living at Newton, Massachusetts, that Andrews made his alleged attack upon the little girl, and from that time on there was a series of disorders and rows in the household.

OTHER ALLEGATIONS. While the family was residing at 121 L. L. in 1908, according to the testimony, Andrews and some one else at 10:30 o'clock and under the pretense of being intoxicated drew a revolver and threatened to exterminate all members of the family and the servants and the police.

On other occasions he would abuse his wife so shamefully that the servants were compelled to interfere and once he deliberately knocked his wife down because she would not agree to put up with his abuse. Her eyes were badly discolored, a result of the blow Andrews struck.

CAME HERE FOR DIVORCE. Immediately after the separation Mrs. Andrews took her daughter and son and came to California for the purpose of establishing a residence here for the purpose of a divorce. She told the court that Andrews had an income of \$3000 a year from the Adams Express company, with which he has been connected in responsible positions for many years.

When Mrs. Andrews married him Andrews was the company's manager in New York. She was transferred to Pittsburgh and from there went to Boston, at which latter place his position was increased to a superintendency.

Upon the financial showing made, Mrs. Andrews was given \$250 an alimony and for the support and maintenance of the children, together with the permanent custody of the latter and \$750 as attorney's fees. George McDougall appeared as counsel for Mrs. Andrews.

Try Marine Eye Remedy For Red, Weak, Watery Eyes. Try Marine For Your Eyes. You will like Marine.

Heiress Kept Secret For Seven Long Years KANSAS CITY, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Albert S. Chandler, 4439 Third avenue, who is expected shortly to receive about \$120,000 from the Drake millions in New York, is an heiress who kept the fact a secret from her husband for seven years.

"It was so secret in the future and so uncertain that I simply never mentioned it to Albert," explained Mrs. Chandler.

Now that the inheritance is not so much in the future and not quite so uncertain, Chandler, who is a native-born woman in No. 3 district, and before last summer was a motorman on the Troost avenue car line, has been admitted to the secret.

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Contentment is a state of mind.

IMPERIALES
MOUTHPIECE
CIGARETTES

create it. Their full flavored, satisfying blend is the secret. They are a quality smoke.

10 for 10 cents

THE JOHN BOLLMAN CO., Mfrs.

PRASE TRIBUNE'S EFFORT TO RE-OPEN 8TH-ST. BRIDGE

East Oakland Citizens Grateful for the
Effort Made to Restore Traffic to
That Section of City

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 23, 1910.

Editor TRIBUNE: As an East Oakland taxpayer and a subscriber of your paper for many years, I want to be one among the many to thank you for the noble work in behalf of the citizens of Oakland, and especially East Oakland, in compelling the reopening of the Eighth street bridge and roadway, the closing of which has been a great detriment to the east side for the past year.

And there is no doubt in my mind but

what it would have remained in the same condition as it is today had it not been for you and your paper.

We well remember it has only been a few months ago that THE TRIBUNE made a like noble fight in regard to the condition of the Twelfth street viaduct and, as usual, won, to the benefit of all concerned. And again we say We thank you.

J. M. NEAD,
1018 East Sixteenth street.

TAMALPAIS VICTIM STILL UNIDENTIFIED

Rose McKay Tells Police She
Is a Real, Live
"Corpse."

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never had a watch of that description, and of course could not have left it with Jeweler Frank Wansky in Eureka. Needless to say the clothing of the Tamalpais woman could not be mine."

After explaining that he had been known as James and Jim Tansel, instead of Serafino Olla Tansel, owing to the fact that he had been unable to speak English well when he first went to Mill Valley, and exhibiting his naturalization papers under the latter cognomen, the man said:

EXPLAINS ABOUT WATCH.

"I left this big silver watch (exhibiting the time piece) with Wansky to be repaired on one occasion, and I also bought a little gold chain from him. This gold chain was given me by Mrs. Tuttle when I worked for her. I am well known at the Swiss-American Hotel, and almost anyone can identify me. I have been in Mill Valley as recently as a month ago. I worked in numerous places as a gardener, and was coming down to give myself up this morning when the police located me."

Just at this juncture Detective Sergeant Mackey brought in Mrs. Tuttle, who came over to the city from her Mill Valley home. She greeted Miss McKeaney demonstratively.

"My, but I am glad this is you and that your bones were not bleaching in the time piece as I feared," she burst out, shaking the other by both hands. "Goodness, it's fine to see you after believing you dead like that. She's all right—she's the one meant (turning to the detectives). Didn't you give me a little chain, one similar to that found on the girl found on Tamalpais?"

SHE HAD NO TIMEPIECE. Miss McKeaney replied that she had had one with a clasp, but no watch, whereupon Mrs. Tuttle responded:

"You ought to see the one over there, it's just the same. Now let me see your watch. Do you notice that bone there, it's just like hers. It made me sure it was you. I'm delighted that it was not. Oh, yes, she's all right, and that ends it. I understand they are trying to wash out the hair of the woman whose body was found. They may identify her yet."

The couple were held until Sheriff Taylor came, and then immediately discharged.

SCHEDULE FOR BIG FIELD MEET

Alameda High School to Hold
Inter-class Athletic
Events.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 23.—An interclass field day will be held by the local high school on Thursday, March 2d. Juniors, sophomores and post graduates will compete for honors. The latter will be represented by Ed Macauley, Captain Shattuck, Bruzzone and Perkins. The juniors will be represented by Ed Macauley, Captain Shattuck, Bruzzone and Perkins. The sophomores will be represented by Ed Macauley, Captain Shattuck, Bruzzone and Perkins.

Over twenty track athletes have turned out at the high school this year and the team expects to make a good showing. It now holds the trophy cup for second place in the Academic Athletic League. This cup was won at the Stanford Inter-scholastic meet last spring.

Alameda expects to score in the Bay Counties League next spring.

COLD CAUSE HEADACHE. LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine, the world-wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes cause of colds and fever. Look for signature E. W. GROVE, etc.

DIES FROM INJURIES. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Thomas Doyle, 50 years old, a teamster, residing at 6254 Shotwell street, died at St. Luke's hospital this morning of injuries sustained in a car accident on February 6. He was run down by a car at Mission and Army streets.

TIZ--For Tender Feet

A new, scientific medical toilet tablet

Draws Out All Inflammation and Soreness.

This remarkable foot bath remedy is Superior to Powder, Plaster or Salve and is guaranteed to cure Corns, Calluses, Bunions, Frostbites, Chilblains, Ingrowing Nails, Tired, Aching, Swollen, Puffed, Itchy, Bad Smelling Feet.

Smaller Shoes Can Be Worn by using TIZ, because it puts and keeps the feet in perfect condition.

TIZ is for sale at all druggists, 25 cents per box or direct if you wish from Walter Luthy & Co., Dodge Bldg., Chicago. It is recommended and sold by The Own Drug Co.

COWS KEPT AWAKE BY THIRD RAIL CARS, FARMERS SUE R.R.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—The Aurora, Elgin and Chicago Railroad is up against a score of damage claims from the most unexpected and unusual quarter. It is face to face with one of the most unique problems that ever confronted a railroad, and may be compelled to ask the Circuit Court of DuPage county to solve it.

Dairy farmers who live along the third-rail system claim that the operation of electric cars on stormy nights of electricity keeps the cows awake, and that as a consequence they give much less milk than usual.

It is the contention of the dairymen that the supply of milk in the section through which the third-rail lines operate has been materially reduced.

The defense agrees that the crime was committed, but argues that said crime is not robbery. Testimony was put on to show that while Maddalena may have intended to commit robbery, his actions were taken as a joke by those in the laundry office on the day of the hold-up, more than a week ago.

Miss Muntz, bookkeeper, testified to this effect. She describes the dramatic entrance of the masked man and stated that the employees in the laundry thought that some joke was being perpetrated upon them.

Assistant District Attorney Hyman is prosecuting the case.

Attorney Hunt argues that inasmuch as there was no fight on the part of the people held up and no force used by the defendant the elements that go to make up the crime of robbery as defined by the code are lacking.

The defense will try to change the complaint to one of larceny.

Insane Man Wrecks Room at Hospital

Eddy B. Wolfe of 1430 Forty-seventh street, Melrose, was committed to the insane asylum at Napa by Superior Judge Ogden. The charge of destruction of property was made against him, because last night he completely wrecked the room he occupied in the insanity division of the Receiving hospital, demolishing the bed, destroying the bed-clothing and ripping the linoleum up from the floor and tearing it into pieces. He did this work so quietly that Wardman, his attendant, was ignorant of what was going on until this morning.

Insist upon getting the Italian-Swiss Colony's choice dry wines from your grocer. They all carry ASTI COLONY brands.

Entries for Tomorrow

FIRST RACE—Future course; purse; maiden three-year-olds.

1—6226 Kid North 110
2—6226 Ocean View 100
3—6226 Ocean View 100
4—6226 Babe Neely 100

5—6226 Salsuma Jr 100
6—6226 Salsuma Jr 100
7—6226 Salsuma Jr 100
8—6226 Salsuma Jr 100

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up.

9—6188 Bankers 100
10—6271 No Quarter 100
11—6271 No Quarter 100
12—6271 No Quarter 100

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up.

13—6271 No Quarter 100
14—6271 No Quarter 100
15—6271 No Quarter 100
16—6271 No Quarter 100

FOURTH RACE—Five furlongs; Females Handicap; three-year-olds and up.

17—6271 No Quarter 100
18—6271 No Quarter 100
19—6271 No Quarter 100
20—6271 No Quarter 100

FIFTH RACE—One mile; selling; three-year-olds and up.

21—6271 No Quarter 100
22—6271 No Quarter 100
23—6271 No Quarter 100
24—6271 No Quarter 100

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up.

25—6271 No Quarter 100
26—6271 No Quarter 100
27—6271 No Quarter 100
28—6271 No Quarter 100

SEVENTH RACE—One mile; selling; three-year-olds and up.

29—6271 No Quarter 100
30—6271 No Quarter 100
31—6271 No Quarter 100
32—6271 No Quarter 100

Eighth race—One mile; selling; three-year-olds and up.

33—6271 No Quarter 100
34—6271 No Quarter 100
35—6271 No Quarter 100
36—6271 No Quarter 100

R&G CORSETS

Why don't YOU
try one?

WILL TRY TO CHANGE CHARGE

Counsel for A. J. Maddalena
Wants Larceny Instead of
Robbery Charge.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 23.—On motion of Attorney Reuben Hunt, the case against A. J

DISTRICT ATTORNEY FICKERT WILL ASK GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE CRYPTOGRAMS

CIPHER CODE IN TRIAL OF CALHOUN, IS CHARGE Used in Advertisements to Convey Messages Concerning Graft Prosecution, According to Information Furnished

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Declaring that a series of cryptograms were contained in "personal advertising" published by the Examiner during the years 1908 and 1909 undoubtedly had some connection with the graft cases growing out of the Ruef-Schmitz regime, District Attorney C. M. Fickert announced that the matter would be brought to the attention of the Grand Jury which will be empaneled today.

The District Attorney said: "I consider the cryptograms of such serious import that I will call the attention of the Grand Jury to them. The late Grand Jury dismissed last week were informed of their existence, but had no time to consider the matter.

"The translations of the cryptic messages made by William R. Stone were brought to the attention of former District Attorney Langdon and former Special Agent Burns before the expiration of their terms, but they did not take any action. The publication of the various messages agree so perfectly with the occurrence of certain important events connected with the bribery cases that I am convinced that they had some connection with them. This is especially true of the reference to special venire summoned for the Calhoun trial."

The district attorney called the attention of his predecessor to the messages, but the latter was not inclined to treat the matter seriously. Fickert said this morning that it was evident that there was some serious plan behind the cryptograms as their publication entailed such expense that it was hardly likely that an insane person or a practical joker was responsible for their appearance.

The cryptograms, according to the district attorney, have been a possession of the 45 messages and translations have been directly upon every legal action taken in the progress of the bribery trials from the conviction of Ruef to the disagreement of the Calhoun jury. The key to the cryptic "personals" lies in reading the first letter in each word of the messages.

IS THIS FAIR?

Certain Proof Will Be Made That Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Cure Stomach Trouble.

A Trial Package Sent Free.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are made to give to the system, through the digestive tract and the stomach, the necessary chemical not only to digest food, but to cure the fields of the body so that it may no longer suffer from dyspepsia or other stomach troubles.

We will send you a quantity of these tablets free, so that their power to cure may be proven to you.

Thousands upon thousands of people are using these tablets for the cure and cure of every known stomach disease. Know what you put into your stomach, and you will know the difference.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain fruit and vegetable essences, the purest and most potent of Hydrastis, Golden Seal, which tone up and strengthen the muscular lining of the stomach, and increase the flow of gastric and other digestive juices. Lactose (extracted from milk), Nux, to strengthen the nervous controlling action of the stomach and to cure nervous dyspepsia, pure ascorbic acid, the highest digestive power and approved by the United States Pharmacopoeia.

One of the ablest professors of the University of Michigan recently stated that this remedy was the only one that he had found that was absolutely pure—free from all animal impurities. Bismuth, to absorb gases and prevent fermentation. They are delicious, and will cure you of indigestion, gas, and all the ills that come from a weak stomach.

Liquid medicines lose their strength the longer they are kept, through evaporation, fermentation and chemical changes. Hence Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are recognized as the only true and logical manner of preserving the ingredients given above in their fullest strength.

If you really doubt the power of these tablets, take this advertisement to a druggist and ask his opinion of the formula.

It is due your stomach to give it the ingredients necessary to stop its trouble. It costs nothing to try. You know what you are taking, and the fame of these tablets prove their value. All druggists sell them. Price 50 cents. Send us your name and address and we will send you a trial package by mail free. Address E. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Building, Marshall, Mich.

Story of Graft Cases in Cryptic Messages

BELOW are some of the more interesting and important of the cryptograms that were published in a daily paper in this city between May 23, 1908, and August 4, 1909, during the progress of the graft trials, together with the translations. Holzberg was a venieman in the Calhoun case, who was challenged by the prosecution after he had been temporarily passed. Binner was one of the two jurors who voted for the conviction in the Calhoun case. The other translations speak for themselves. The key to the cryptograms consists in reading only the first letter of each word:

Have increased sales. Can our new verification (verification) include customer. * * The interest on new notes established can establish Southern sales agency. * * Rode yesterday. A new offer. They have refused money and a good advance. Zone increased northeast sure include my interest. Last account read like yours. Make a round key each day. Sent a marked envelope. Plans leaving after course ended. I never have offered to entertain less. Furniture useless. Lost last inventory. Never said that route useless. Can they include our notion sales? "His conviction necessary. Another magazine similarly marked same place in hotel full instructions? Translation:

Have only learned zither; better entertainments; receipts good; big interest at stake. "Holzberg---bias." ---Translation. * * * Better invest now. New enterprise rushing. "Binner" ---Translation. * * * Telegraph east. Letter later. Have informed municipality to hurry authorization. * * Telegraph information first then hurry Eastern journey. Urging reconciliation. * * Yesterday's deliberations on neutral territory looks suspicious now. Don't come at later hour. "Tell him that if the jury don't land Calhoun a bomb will."---Translation. * * *

His actions very eccentric. Censure only useless remains there immovable not consistent liability uncertain. * * Decide early Saturday; provided every comfort; interesting attractions listed; longer itinerary scheduled. * * The investigation not through. Have indications rich discovery; various experts now impressed; rather enthused. "Have court include special list in third venire."---Translation. * * *

appeared an unknown man telephoned to the office of the Los Angeles Examiner and asked whether that office would transmit by wire to the San Francisco Examiner. He was informed that a Mr. Reinert had charge of that department and he was then connected with Reinert on the telephone and repeated his inquiry. He was told that the advertisement would be transmitted as he wished and the rate was named to him.

Ashwell, as the man once signed himself to an advertisement, was very impetuous that the messages should go through promptly, stating that he might have considerable advertising and that the messages were urgent. He said the messages would arrive at the office by special delivery mail together with the money to pay for them. A day or two afterward Reinert received the first advertisement by special delivery, the letter having been posted in the Los Angeles postoffice.

Subsequent advertisements were received in the same way, sometimes the letters being deposited in the main office and sometimes at sub-station C. The advertisements were written on ordinary typewriting paper without any distinguishing marks, except that at one time "Ashwell" was signed to the advertisement in typewriting.

When it was necessary to put through a message on Sunday, Ashwell called up Reinert over the telephone and asked him to come down from his home to the office and give in person the money for the transmitting of the message, as it was necessary it should appear in the San Francisco paper the next morning. Ashwell frequently inquired the amount due and sent currency in an envelope to settle the account, occasionally leaving a balance to his credit.

In the latter part of July or the early part of August, when a reporter of the Examiner was in Los Angeles investigating the cryptograms, the wording of several of the advertisements was changed in the hope that a protest would be called forth from Ashwell and that he could be located through his complaint. The substitution of words had the very opposite effect, however, for about that time the advertisements ceased and none has been placed since.

GUMSHOE BEANS EXPLAINS. A representative of the San Francisco Examiner took the cryptograms and the translations to William J. Burns and District Attorney Langdon. These officials examined them and declared that they were unable to make anything out of them. Burns, however, claimed that they were the work of some one connected with the defense, although he never made a public attempt to expose the defense in this connection.

That the persons who were using this secret means of correspondence had some other means of communication is evident from the fact that the messages are incomplete. Some of them are lacking in words, and while there were doubtless complete messages that do not appear in the series here presented, they were not published in any newspaper in this State, for the files of all the important ones have been carefully searched for cryptograms that would complete the series. It might have been possible to identify the authors. A reporter was sent to Los Angeles, whence the cryptograms had been received by telegraph, and made some discoveries.

A few days before the first message

MELROSE MURDER CASE IN COURT

Charles Borromio, Slayer of Fornichi Boy, is to be Examined.

Charles Borromio, accused of last week shooting little Egidio Fornichi at the Pelligrini winery in Melrose, the wounds from the shooting causing the boy's death, was formally arraigned on the charge of murder this morning by Justice of the Peace W. H. Goary, who presided in the police court this morning in the place of Judge Samuels, and the preliminary examination will begin tomorrow. The man claims that the shooting was the result of an accident and will plead not guilty to the charge placed against him.

Borromio shot young Fornichi while the latter was teasing a dog at the Pelligrini establishment in Melrose, first ordering the boy to leave the dog alone, and on the boy's refusal, aiming a pistol at his head and pulling the trigger. The boy died at the Alameda Sanitarium a few days ago, and Borromio was formally booked on a murder charge at once. After the shooting Borromio fled to San Francisco, where he was arrested and brought to Oakland by Detective Hodgkins of the Oakland force. He is said by the police to be a bad character, and was on probation in Oakland for burglary before the present crime caused his arrest.

BOOKMAKER IS HELD FOR TRIAL

Felinsky Violated Law, Says Judge Brown, in Receiving Wager.

In the criminal department of the Superior Court this forenoon Judge Brown presided over the case of Charles Felinsky, charged with violating the law against bookmaking. The information charging him with violating the law against bookmaking was read by the clerk, and the court held that the information had been drawn in regular form and that the charge was valid. The defense that it charged no crime had not been taken.

"It is taken to the court," said Judge Brown in this connection, "that the defendant was not engaged in bookmaking and could not be prosecuted for the same. The information charges him with violating the law against bookmaking, and the defense that it charged no crime had not been taken."

Felinsky was then arraigned and pleaded not guilty to the charge preferred. His case will go to trial on March 23.

Shoots Himself While In Dream Condition

BUTLER, Pa., Feb. 23.—"I'll get you," shouted Bowman B. Seybert, aged 37, as he slept in the office chair of Redick's livery stable. "I'll get you," he kept repeating, and drawing a heavy revolver from his pocket, he began firing. Two shots struck the office walls and a third hit his own hand. Seybert rolled from the chair and awoke, to find himself bleeding upon the floor.

At the first shots, John Conrad, a stable hand, jumped through a window. Seybert said he was dreaming and was pursued by a man who wanted to kill him and that he fired in self defense. His wound is serious.

Jewels Stolen From Rooms of Actress

Snack thieves last night entered the dressing room of actress Rosemary, an actress employed at the Columbia Theater, according to the report made this morning by Frank Parrott, manager of the house, who notified the police of the theft.

The thieves made their entrance to the dressing room through an alley running behind Tenth street, and removed a diamond ring, as well as several smaller articles.

Burglars Steal Rings From Chinese Cook

Lam Gim, a cook employed by Appellate Judge Hall, at 1184 Fourteenth street, reported to the police this morning the theft of about \$25 worth of jewelry from his room. The place had been entered from the back yard, while Gim was at work in the kitchen last night, and the goods, which included three valuable rings, were taken from the man's dresser. The police are investigating the case.

Prohibitionists Hold Annual Banquet

The annual banquet of the Prohibitionists of this county was held at the Colonial Cafeteria yesterday. Rev. C. P. Moore acted as toastmaster. The speeches were made by Dr. F. L. Goodspeed, Rev. Thomas A. Boyer and Dr. Rich. An instrumental sextet furnished the music during the dinner. Letters of greeting were read from Rev. Ben H. Lindsey of Denver and Rev. Charles Brown, prominent in reform work throughout the country.

PARTIES TO THE CRYPTS.

Whether the secret correspondence took place between two or more persons connected with the defense or two or more persons connected with the prosecution, it is clear that some of these persons were not directly connected with either side and feared to have their indirect connection known. Although there is reason to believe that agents of both the prosecution and defense were taking part in the correspondence, the use of a secret means of communication would not obviate this difficulty and would, indeed, render greater the chances of agents selling out their principals. Such a code as was employed was not used because the principal feared his agent, but because the agent feared his principal.

RHEUMATISM EPIDEMIC

Prescription by Prominent Doctor Claimed Positive Cure.

Those who have tried this say it has no equal for quickly curing chronic and acute rheumatism and backache. Get one out of a group of Serravallo's compound and one ounce of Tormentum. Then get half a pint of good whiskey and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a tablespoonful of this mixture before each meal and at bed time. Shake the bottle before using. This cure is the best I have ever known. Any druggist has these ingredients on hand or will quickly get them from his wholesale house.

STOLEN GIRL FOUND WITH MEXICAN GYPSY; BOUGHT, WOMAN SAYS

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Tetra Pearson, a 14-year-old Russian gypsy, who, it is alleged, was stolen from her mother, Mrs. Tetra Pearson, in Boston two years ago, was found in the possession of Mrs. Annie Lucas, a Mexican gypsy, at Sixty-fourth and Loomis streets, by detectives. Mrs. Lucas was arrested and will be given a hearing today.

The woman admits the girl is Mrs. Pearson's child, but claims they bought her for \$100. Mrs. Pearson denies this, as does the girl, who says she was coerced into the promise to take her to a nickel show.

"They made me work hard washing because I was not old enough to tell for sure," the girl said, "and I was forced to go back to my mother. I tried to get away, but they always watched me. The first winter after I was stolen we came to Chicago. I learned to read and write and my brother and mother were here and several times tried to reach them, but was brought back."

Veteran Advertising Man Is Laid to Rest

The funeral of the late Albertus A. Atkins, at one time one of the Pacific Coast, was held yesterday afternoon from the undertaking parlors of Dr. Miller, at East Oakland, Rev. Charles R. Brown, pastor of the First Congregational church, conducted the services which were attended by a large number of friends and acquaintances among the newspapermen of Oakland and San Francisco.

For more than 20 years Albertus Atkins was employed on a San Francisco newspaper. He died February 19 at the age of 57. He was a native of New York and a member of many fraternal organizations. A widow survives him.

The pallbearers were R. C. Jewell, Robert Milligan, Frank H. Galloway, W. R. Simpers, Zeno King and Wesley Plunkett, all of whom are old associates of Mr. Atkins and for many years his personal friends.

Will Establish Home For Working Girls

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—Ex-Senator W. A. Clark has purchased a 300 feet frontage on Loma drive, in one of the most commanding locations in the city, for a proposed home for working girls. It is understood that an attractive home for deserving working girls is to be established on the site.

Details regarding this proposed institution have not been given out, but it is believed that such a home will be a large amount of money and make it a model. It is said a number of local philanthropists are interested and will help generously in carrying out the project. It will be located in the finest residence district.

Shepherd Slain on The Stanford Ranch

RED BLUFF, Feb. 23.—George Bahney shot Thomas McCole at Sheep Camp, on the Stanford ranch, near Red Bluff, last night, inflicting a wound in the head with a pistol bullet that is expected to prove fatal. Flockmaster Thomas Dillon arrived in Yuma at 9 o'clock and telephoned Sheriff Shoup, who hurried to the scene and took Bahney into custody.

Bahney refused to surrender to any one but the Sheriff and considerable excitement reigned in the camp, where he or some men are working. Details of the affair are not known, but Bahney is in the county jail at this place.

Cafe Porter Comes Into a Big Fortune

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 23.—Divide \$1,000,000 by eight and that is the amount of money coming to Gus Moore, aged fifty-nine, a porter at fifty cents a day at the Cafe Carrogo, who was mopping the floor when he heard the news. And, briefly, it was this:

Charles J. Sevier, a grandfather, died a fortune of \$1,000,000. He had two sons, who came to America and died, so the vast fortune reverts to his grandchildren, of whom there are eight in the United States and all of them brothers and sisters of Gus Moore. Each is to get one-eighth of it.

Death of Supposed Widow of Genaue

DENVER, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Mena Genaue, one of Denver's best known and wealthiest keepers, died yesterday at a hospital. She was famous because of a report following the assassination of President Garfield that she was the divorced wife of Charles J. Genaue, the assassin.

Mrs. Genaue never admitted nor denied the report. Mrs. Genaue was sixty years old and died from the effects of a fall. She conducted a restaurant in Leadville at the time of the Leadville boom.

Chamorro's Army Is Routed in Slaughter

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The Herald today publishes a dispatch from San Juan de los Rios, Nicaragua, stating that the army of General Chamorro suffered a severe defeat yesterday afternoon on the banks of the San Juan river. The casualties on both sides are placed at 500.

No confirmation of this reported engagement has been received here. The latest telegraph lines connecting San Juan with Managua were severed for several hours yesterday.

PERSONAL MENTION

Rev. C. L. Mears of the Reno Congregational Church has been called to the Church of Alameda.

Policeman Conroy shot two twenty-year-old boys, one of whom was struck by a westbound local at First and Franklin streets yesterday afternoon.

Robert Causley, former captain of the University of California varsity basketball team, was quietly married to Miss E. Sherwood of San Francisco last Monday at San Rafael.

Mrs. William R. Ralston and Mrs. Lucie May Ralston will leave soon for an extended trip abroad.

Miss Agnes M. Talliferro of Rapidan, Virginia, is the bride of Rev. Alex. Barron of Sussex, better known as Mrs. Frances Barron.

Miss Ruth Sager, the noted publisher, Club at the Key Route Inn last evening. She was accompanied by her father, Mr. Sager, and a large number of friends from New York and other cities.

Miss Dorothy Holbrook of Portland has been visiting friends in this city for the last week.

INSURGENT ARMS ACHIEVE VICTORY

Chamorro Takes the City of Granada From the Enemy.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Victories of immense importance to the insurgent army in Nicaragua are told in dispatches being received today at the State Department.

General Chamorro, with the main division of the insurgent army, has come out of the government troops sent out to check the advance of a flank movement has taken the city of Granada. The Chamorro family is powerful there and the capture of the city is important.

It is reported that General Estrada, once believed to be in the direction of Greytown, is marching to make a junction with Chamorro and a lack Managua. The losses of government troops have been terrific in the guerrilla warfare which has raged for the last few days. Dispatches say that after the engagement of the 19th scores of unburied lay upon the fields. The losses of the provisional troops were light.

DISORDER AND PANIC.

Disorder and panic are spreading through the Madrid troops and the government. All trains on the railroad are being abandoned and are used only for military purposes.

The situation in the surrounding country is becoming more serious for the government. The insurgents also captured the government steamer Victoria on Lake Managua.

Madrid, taking alarm at the spirit of unrest among the populace, which has increased every day as the government troops have been advancing, has practically declared martial law over the departments of Granada, Masaya and Carazo, and appointed Julian Irujo, Zelaya's prime minister, in charge of them with plenary powers.

WHOLESALE LOOT BY PICKPOCKETS

Light Fingered Crooks Rob an Oakland Man of His Purse and Pin.

The pickpockets made a raid upon the spectators at the ringside in Richmond during the afternoon and made off with a harvest of purses, rings and gems.

Their victims were so engrossed with the progress of the contest that they preyed to the deft manipulations of the light-fingered operators.

One of the men who reported his loss to the police, is A. Vander Nalieu, Jr., manager of the Vander Nalieu school, who is residing at Oak Street and 4th St. Payment on the latter has been stopped.

"Vander Nalieu declares that the pickpockets took advantage of the fact that Richmond was so far removed from the protection afforded by the detectives of San Francisco and Oakland that they had a fine field in which to ply their craft."

A spectator sitting near Vander Nalieu claimed to have been robbed of his purse, and many complaints are coming in from San Francisco and Oakland from victims of the pocket plunders.

Police Judges Take One Day Vacation

Both of the police judges in the Oakland department took days off today. Judge Smith turning over his bench to Justice of the Peace James Quinn for this morning, while Judge Samuels' place was filled by W. H. H. Quinn.

Justices of the peace for Brooklyn tomorrow were postponed, and several of sentences suspended until the return of the regular judges, the temporary occupants of the benches not desiring to interfere with plans already outlined by these officials. The two police judges are resting, and will return to their work tomorrow.

Captain Peterson of the police department is visiting for a few days in Los Angeles. He will attend the A. O. U. W. convention, which is being taken until his return by Captain of Detectives Hodgkin, who is in charge of the captain's office.

FOR CATARRH

Medicine Free in Every Case Where it Fails to Relieve.

Neglect or pessimism, we believe, is the greatest enemy the patient has to contend with when applied to the loss of recovery of health. Practically every case of consumption might have been cured if given the proper treatment and proper treatment of the first symptom of the disease. The advanced stage is reached consumption is curable. Catarrh is responsible, believe, for many cases of consumption. It is about catarrh we want to talk to you today, incidentally mention, since the two are so closely allied. We have a medicine made from a prescription of one of the most successful catarrh specialists known. We believe it is positively without an equal. We are so satisfied that we are right, that we will supply the medicine free in every instance where it is used according to directions for a reasonable length of time, should it fail to give satisfaction in every particular. We want every one to try this medicine at our risk. There are no conditions attached to our offer. We put the user under no obligation to us whatsoever.

"The medicine we want you to try is Rexall Mucuo-Tone. It is a catarrh remedy that goes direct to the seat of trouble. It is carried by the blood to every part of the system. It purifies and enriches the blood, tones up the mucous cells, and brings about a condition of health and strength that tends to prevent the germs of consumption from getting a foothold in the system. It is a wonderful appetizer, digests food and builds up the system. Its good effects are often felt from the very first dose. It is one of the largest and most satisfactory selling medicines in Oakland and all over the world. We have never had anything to do with it."

We know so much of the great good that it has done that we personally back it up with our reputation and name, which is a guarantee of its value. It satisfies anybody. Rexall Mucuo-Tone comes in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00. We urge you to try it. Remember you can obtain Rexall medicine in Oakland only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Rexall Store, Inc., Tenth and Washington, Thirty-ninth and Broadway, Massachusetts and San Pablo.

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BROWN'S SPEECH ON INCOME TAX AMENDMENT

Author of Legislation Declares Governors of States Are in Favor of It.

FEDERAL AND STATE SPHERES UNCHANGED

Right to Tax Gives Government Greater Power in Event of War.

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American Countess Wearies Of the Sham of Noble Rank

COUNTRESS SANTA EULALLA, formerly Mrs. John D. Stetson, who is said to be seeking a divorce from her titled husband.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. — Already weary of her crown of nobility, and with the glamour of her newly acquired title stripped from her eyes by constant association, Countess Santa Eulalla, formerly Mrs. John D. Stetson, widow of the millionaire but maker of Philadelphia, is again in this country looking, it is said, into the possibility of a divorce.

In Chicago she is declared to have investigated carefully her husband's reputation in that city prior to her marriage, and her discoveries have not served, whisper the gossip, to strengthen her determination to free herself.

The claim of Mrs. Ernest of Chicago who has brought suit against the Countess for the recovery of \$10,000 alleged to have been promised her by the count with the understanding that she write his memoirs in such a way as to carry out his plan for a successful culmination, has also been given careful attention.

The count is at present in Paris and has publicly announced, it is asserted, that his wife has left him for good. Except that she is a little pale and worn, the Countess Eulalla looks much the same as at the time of her marriage. She is accompanied on her return here by a secretary, a maid and footman.

CURES ECZEMA QUICKLY

New Discovery Has Revolutionized the Treatment of Skin Diseases.

Nothing in the history of medicine has ever approached the success of the new, various skin remedy known as poslam, which, it is safe to say, has cured more cases of eczema and skin diseases than any remedy ever offered for these ills.

The success of poslam is not at all surprising when it is considered that even a very small quantity applied to the skin stops itching immediately and cures chronic cases in two weeks. The very worst cases of eczema, as well as very herpetic, tetter, piles, salt rheum, rash, crusted humors, scaly scalp and every form of itch yield to it readily. Blenches, such as pimples, red noses, muddy and inflamed skin disappear almost immediately when poslam is applied, the complexion being cleared over night.

Every druggist keeps but the 50-cent size (for minor troubles) and the \$2 size, each of these may be obtained in Oakland at The Old Time Co., as well as other reliable drug stores. No one is even asked to purchase poslam without being given an explanatory pamphlet which will be sent by mail, free of charge, upon request, by the Emergency Laboratories, 22 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City.

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LEFT LEGACY BY A BOSTON UNCLE

Piedmont Teacher Is Remembered in the Will of Relative.

Miss Jane Gay Dodge, a former teacher in the Ransom private school of Piedmont, who is now associated as an instructor in one of the training schools of Berkeley, is one of the heirs mentioned in the will of the late Thomas H. Dodge of Worcester, Mass. She is a niece of the deceased, who bequeaths \$300 to Miss Dodge. The widow is left \$150,000 and after several cash bequests are made the residue amounting to \$122,300 is left in trust for the purpose of establishing a hospital for women and children on the testator's home estate.

According to the will the fund is to be untouchable for 75 years. With the usual 4 per cent interest the fund will total \$2,500,000. Under the will about fifteen charitable and fraternal organizations will benefit.

CHERRY TREE STORY TRUE, SAYS BRITON

Peer Chides American for Not Appreciating Washington More.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 23. — Sir James C. Duffield of London, who claims to be a direct descendant of Lord Cornwallis, came to the rescue of George Washington and the hatchet story last night, in company with Hon. Charles S. Hyman, former Minister of Public Works of Ottawa, Canada. The two are out on a pleasure jaunt and they came to the United States to enjoy it.

Sir James severely criticized the American people for the way they make light of the hatchet story. He believes the story is a reflection upon the present generation in this free country to doubt it. It is only an example, he points out, of the disrespect of the average American citizen for the prowess of their forefathers and the government of their country.

"Why, Washington was the greatest man this country ever produced," he declared, "but you Americans don't appreciate him, don't you know. Why should we believe the story? It is a hatchet and the cherry tree. It is a part of your history, handed down from generation to generation, and you young men ought to respect it, but you don't. You care nothing for precedent and you disrespect the men you have placed in office."

YOUTH JUSTIFIED FOR KILLING SIRE

Governor Offers Pardon to Lad if Father Crowley Will Take Him.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23. — Police Officer Luke Livingston returned to San Francisco this morning, bringing with him George Johnson, an eighteen-year-old lad, convicted of embezzlement some time since, who broke parole in this State and committed burglary in Nebraska. Johnson was leniently dealt with by the superior court here, but fled to Red Willow county, Nebraska, where he was convicted of burglary and sentenced to eighteen months in the penitentiary at Lincoln. He served nine months of the time, when a communication was received here of his whereabouts, and it was decided to bring him back and send him to the reformatory, where he will remain for three years.

GOVERNOR WILL PARDON.

An interesting feature of the trip of Policeman Livingston was a statement made to him by Governor Shallenbarger, of Nebraska, that he would pardon a lad who killed his father for beating his mother if the officer would arrange for Father Crowley of the Youth's Directory to take him. The lad is in this city on a two-year term at Lincoln, the chief executive of Nebraska is confident that if he could be placed in the hands of Father Crowley he would be in an environment which would make for his future welfare.

Frank Johnson, another eighteen-year-old boy, who escaped from Iowa recently, was picked up on the Barbary Coast by Policeman G. W. Clark today, and will be returned to the reformatory.

Foley's Kidney Pills

What They Will Do for Men and Women in Failing Health

The kidneys are the strainers of the blood. Diseased kidneys fail to eliminate the poisonous waste matter as it passes through them, and it re-enters the circulation, and upsets the whole system. It is an insidious trouble, as the change is gradual at first, but if neglected, it is likely to make rapid progress.

Headache, backache, "specks" before the eyes, irregular heart action, exhaustion, rheumatism and urinary irregularities are all signs of trouble that must not be disregarded. Foley's Kidney Pills strengthen the kidneys, and correct irregularities. They are healing and antiseptic, and assist nature to restore your health. They will purify your blood, and restore lost vitality and vigor. Commence taking them today, and you will feel better in a very short time.

Foley's Kidney Pills do not contain any harmful drugs and will cure kidney and bladder disorders that have refused to yield to other treatment, and if taken in time will prevent the development of Bright's Disease or Diabetes. You cannot be well, feel well or look well if your kidneys are deranged. See that you get the genuine Foley's Kidney Pills.

SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY Wishart's Drug Store, 10th and Washington Street, Oakland.

Americans Talk Too Much About Shop

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. — M. Henri de Sincay, on the eve of his marriage to an American girl, Miss Marie Louise Logan, says the reason why so many American girls marry foreigners is that American men are too engaged in business and money making to engage the affections of women of their own country.

"American girls, educated as they are today, are not interested in Wall Street, the stock exchange or the market," he said. "I have found the American girl my ideal among women; she is so clever, so intelligent, so wonderfully well educated."

"The foreigner puts away all discussion of his business affairs when he gets into his evening clothes; while it seems to matter little to an American whether he is in sack suit, frock coat or dinner attire, in his office, on a yacht or at a fashionable gathering, the topic of conversation uppermost with him is business."

Mr. de Sincay's father is owner of the largest scenic interests in the world, while Miss Logan's family is in moderate circumstances. The wedding will take place tomorrow in the Lady

Woman May Be Nurse From San Francisco

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 23. — Speculating as to the identity of Elizabeth King, now delirious in the Charity Hospital, was accelerated by the assumption that the unfortunate little woman might be Miss Mamie King, a trained nurse of Los Angeles and San Francisco, who has been missing from home since 1909.

Stanley King of 3215 East First street, Los Angeles, writes to the hospital here that he read in a Los Angeles paper of a Miss King, a trained nurse of Los Angeles, being arrested here, and he believes she might be his lost sister. He says that his sister was once ill in Los Angeles; that she worked in a hospital at Point Richmond, and that on the death of her mother Miss King and another nurse left for parts unknown with \$5000.

"I am too sick to talk," said the sick woman today, when an effort was made to tell her of the letter from Stanley King. "I worked as a nurse in San Francisco, yes; but I can't remember now where or at what hospital. I have no relatives living at all."

Strike in Chicago Threatens to Spread

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. — The strike of building trades workers is expected to spread to practically every large building under construction in Chicago, and probably will include more than 2000 men—teamsters, sheet metal workers, structural iron workers, carpenters, marble workers and helpers.

The strike is an outgrowth of an agreement between Martin B. (Skinny) Madden made nearly a year ago to furnish the Otis Elevator Company machinists to take the places of striking elevator constructors. They will call a strike on every building where the Otis Company is doing work with Madden's strike-breaking machinists.

SPENT A FORTUNE ON SKIN TROUBLE

But Lost All Hope of Cure—Grew Worse and Worse in Spite of Many Doctors and Three Years of Hospital Treatment—Inflammation Made Her Almost Crazy with Pain.

CURED BY TWO SETS OF CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I began to have an itching over my whole body about seven years ago and this settled in my limb, from the knee to the toes. I went to see a great many physicians, a matter which cost me a fortune, and after I noticed that I did not get any relief that way, I went for three years to the hospital. But they were unable to help me there. I used all the medicines that I could see but became worse and worse. I had an inflammation which made me almost crazy with pain. When I showed my foot to my friends they would get really frightened. I did not know what to do. I was so sick and had become so nervous that I positively lost all hope.

"I had seen the advertisement of the Cuticura Remedies a great many times but could not make up my mind to buy them, for I had already used so many medicines. Finally I did decide to use the Cuticura Remedies and I tell you that I was never so pleased as when I noticed that, after having used two sets of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Pills, the entire inflammation had gone. I was completely cured. I should be only too glad to give people with a similar disease would come to me and find out the truth. I would only recommend them to use Cuticura. Mrs. Bertha Sachs, 1621 Second Ave., New York, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1909."

"Mrs. Bertha Sachs is my sister-in-law and I know well how she suffered and was cured by the Cuticura Remedies. I have many other treatments failed. Morris Sachs, 321 E. 9th St., New York, N. Y., Secretary of Deutsch-Ostrower Unt.-Verein, Kemper Hebrew Benevolent Society, etc."

A single set of Cuticura Remedies, costing but one dollar, consisting of Soap for cleanse, Ointment to heal and Pills to purify, has frequently cured chronic cases of torturing, disgusting humors of infants, children and adults when the best methods known to the profession had failed. Guaranteed absolutely pure. Cuticura Remedies are sold throughout the world. Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, Cuticura Pills, 1621 Second Ave., New York, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1909.

Passing of Notable Santa Clara Woman

SANTA CLARA, Feb. 23. — Death summoned Mrs. Katherine C. Hubbard, one of the best known and most highly respected women of Santa Clara, today. Her husband was formerly connected with the National Bank of San Francisco, in which city they had lived a considerable part of the forty-six years spent in California. A native of New York, 61 years of age, she with her husband came to Santa Clara immediately following the disaster of 1906.

Arguing that, as the safety of the State depends on the safety of the nation, he said:

"Should a foreign fleet bombard the city of New York, I can imagine the housing capacity of the Empire State might be impaired. But the impairment would be measured by the danger the assault brought to the republic. In other words, New York's credit will be protected in proportion to the ability of the Federal government to protect itself against the enemy."

"When regiments must be equipped and armed; when battalions must be moved to the scene of danger without counting the cost, this government should have the power to lay its tax upon the incomes of those who have done it. I hope the emergency law should be passed. The republic should be clothed with full and ample authority to lay a just share of the burden upon the income of the whole country. It is declared that, if New York should reject the amendment, it would do so because of inherent objections to any tax on incomes and not because of any fear of the effect on her housing capacity. Indeed, the experience of all income taxing nations has shown that the credit of the State is not impaired by imposing a tax on its bonds."

Asserting that the perpetuity of this nation's government depends on the existence of the State and Federal authority, Senator Brown said that neither could be destroyed by an amendment to the constitution. If that must result at all it must come through revolution and he did not believe revolution to be in sight.

Chicago Boy Attains Rank of Scientist

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. — Taking his place in the same rank with learned scientists Featon B. Jurck Jr. the seven-year-old son of Dr. Featon B. Jurck of the post graduate medical school of Chicago last night exhibited bacteria mounted by him on slides and adjusted by him under compound microscope at the Microscopical Society given at the Chicago Academy of Science.

According to scientists here, Master Jurck has an excellent claim to be classed with the nation's scientific prodigies, the son of Professor Sidis of Harvard.

"Practically all of his work has been research work and a considerable portion has been original," said Dr. Jurck. "I don't think he is a prodigy, but he has displayed a genius for research for two years."

Protests Provoked by The Yosemite Orders

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. — The strife among the rival camp managers in the Yosemite Valley has been carried up to the national authorities. David A. Curry, manager of Camp Curry, complains that he has been ordered to move from his present location to one "next Kenny & Coffman's stables for alleged sanitary reasons." He further protests against the refusal to extend the limitation of his number of guests from 200 to 400.

He has sent circulars to all who have been his guests in the last few years and a flood of letters in his behalf is now pouring in on Secretary Ballinger. Curry is coming on to Washington himself to wage his fight. Ballinger appeals in vain to the California Congressmen for enlightenment on the controversy, as none of them knows the merits.

Italian Criminal at Work as Bookkeeper

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23. — With the assistance of Detectives T. L. Ryan and Louis Ballou, United States Immigration Inspector John A. Robinson yesterday arrested Carlo Police Tita, alias Carlo Bellotti, at his home, Dupont and Green streets, as an undesirable citizen, and steps will be taken to deport Tita to Palermo, Italy, where he is wanted for numerous crimes. Tita arrived here in the last part of 1906 with his wife, who is a midwife, and he has been employed as bookkeeper in several places.

Among the crimes charged against Tita are robbery, conspiracy and bodily assault. He has wealthy relatives in Palermo and has succeeded in defrauding the ends of justice.

In the record sent by the Palermo authorities Tita is described as a dangerous anarchist and a member of a band of blackmailers. He is about 34 years of age.

Tita was lodged in the city prison and he will be taken to Angel Island today to await deportation.

Arline Boyer Will Make Tour of Nation

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. — Arline Boyer, the beautiful California girl whose dancing has made her famous all over Europe, arrived on the Hamburg-American liner Kaiser Augustus Victoria.

The young woman whose "Princess of Israel," a reproduction of the Temple dances that delighted King Solomon of old, has delighted England and aroused the continent to enthusiasm, is here upon a tour of the United States, opening at the American Music Hall in this city next Monday night.

She has been abroad for seven years, working strenuously at her art, and now that international fame is hers, she comes to charm the people of her native land with her sinuous grace.

Miss Boyer is tall and dark, with an expressive mouth and big blue eyes. She is modest, and unlike the general run of stars, she forbears to mention the number of prominent personages before whom she has appeared.

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Del Monte Peas, like all other of our products, are of uniform quality. Every can is alike—all are good. Most dealers can sell you Del Monte Peas. The price is 15c a can.

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We put up six of every ten cans of Peaches; more Tomatoes than any other five concerns; the largest amount of Sugar Peas and handle more than six-tenths of all the canned fruits and vegetables grown in California.

More than thirty thousand people are on our pay roll during the canning season, and thousands of others contribute in various ways to the growing, canning and distribution of our products.

We put up fruits, canned and dried, vegetables, preserves, jams, jellies, catsup, condiments and peeled Chili peppers. All are packed under hundreds of different brands, according to quality, and for different dealers who use their own labels. But our choice, the pick of this vast quantity, is packed under the Del Monte label. You get our favorite selections when you get Del Monte. All grocers can supply you.

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AMERICAN CITIES ARE NOT HEALTHY

Conditions Here Condemned by Young Woman From Italy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23. — Amy Bernardi has come from Rome to San Francisco to study the conditions of Italian women and children and report the story of her observations to the office of the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Italy.

She holds the title of "Special Commissioner of the Royal Italian Commission of Emigration."

After observing American working people for over a year, Miss Bernardi makes the forthright charge that the American government is guilty of a barbarous disregard of human life, making widows and orphans of many families, and ultimately thus enlarging the criminal and dependent element.

The congestion in the big cities, as this young woman has seen it, is a blight on the development of the physical, mental and moral qualities. Only by diverting the tide of immigration from the centers of population to the fields, she declares, is there hope for the foreigners now coming here as well as for the Americans themselves.

San Francisco, Miss Bernardi believes, has not improved the opportunities afforded by the great leveling of the city. She finds the houses here are insanitary, only the climate here saving the people from ill effects.

Miss Bernardi is the most recent representative of that class now so much to the fore, the "young woman." Yet she does not believe in the term at all. Attractively feminine, not above a penchant for bonnets and bon-bons, Miss Bernardi looks far more like an earnest young co-ed than a sociologist with many university degrees.

Charges Blackmail Is Cause of Big Shortage

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. — Joseph Conner, treasurer and chief clerk of the Waukegan office of the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railroad, was committed to the insane asylum at Elgin yesterday, as a result, it is said, of an alleged shortage of \$7000 in his accounts.

The case is similar in many respects to that of Charles L. Warriner, treasurer of the Erie Railroad at Cincinnati, who is serving a prison term for embezzlement of \$843,000 of the company's money, and who claimed that most of the shortage went for blackmail. In brief same moments during the last few days, Conner is declared to have accused a fellow employee who knew of the alleged shortage, of levying blackmail on him for five years.

HENS BREAK RECORD. HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 23. — The record for industry on the part of a flock of hens is claimed by G. H. Stiede, of Snipsie Lake, Conn. In the last three months 160 hens owned by him have produced 7,775 eggs.

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Removes soreness
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Clears the voice

Helps
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MASONS PLAN SPLENDID MEMORIAL TO WASHINGTON

Distinguished Men of Order Meet Amid Historic Surroundings and Inaugurate Movement to Perpetuate Name

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Feb. 23. — The movement to erect a permanent Masonic memorial to George Washington took its first definite form yesterday when General J. M. Dickinson, secretary of war, and the grand masters of many Masonic grand lodges met here with other distinguished men of the fraternity to form a National Masonic Memorial Association. Perhaps no Masonic celebration ever held anywhere in America has been more elaborate.

MASONIC HALL OF FAME. In this quaint old town of ivy-covered walls and rambling gardens, upon a street laid out by the young surveyor, near the spot where in 1754 Braddock's young colonel quartered his troops before the fatal march to the Ohio, near the historic old lodge where he was a master and in the midst of a field rich in the events of his life and memory, it will be the purpose of this association to erect a temple to George Washington, a Mason.

Set apart in the structure will be a hall of fame, in which space will be allotted to all the grand jurisdictions in the country to place tablets to the memories of their distinguished sons. The memorial will stand on Washington street. Close by is the old Christ Church where, in his mature years, Washington served as a vestryman. On a field not far off he held his last military review. Across a shaded green in the stately old court house he cast his last vote, and there his will is filed.

Alexandria, by undisputed consent, is the natural site for the memorial. Washington moved to Mount Vernon when he was sixteen with his half-brother, Lawrence, and until the chill, raw day of his death it was his home and Alexandria was his home town. He became a member of its council, represented it in the house of Burgesses, endowed its schools, established its fire department and was master of its lodge.

MAGNIFICENT MEMORIAL. The men who will form the association met today in the same Alexandria-Washington Lodge room, where Washington occupied the master's chair. While no fixed plan could be announced prior to the assembly of all the grand masters, it is in short the purpose of the lodge to raise \$1,000,000 to build and endow the memorial. The institution will be unique among the memorials of the world and will honor every grand jurisdiction to permit every Mason it seems to be deserving with a leaf in its hall of fame, a photograph and a biography.

The gathering of such men of prominence in the old lodge was impressive. Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22, of the Blue Lodge, was the principal guest. Washington's worshipful grand master in 1753. At his request in 1781 it held the corner-stone of the District of Columbia and two years later assisted in laying the corner-stone of the national capitol. In 1790 it performed the Masonic ceremonies at its funeral.

MANY HISTORIC RELICS. In the halls, crowded with precious mementoes, his memorial was organized today. There hangs the old charter granted by Edmund Randolph, grand master of Masons in Virginia, in 1783. Close by its pendulum cord cut and its hands pointing to 20 minutes after 10 in the evening—the hour and the minute of his death—stands the old bed-chamber clock. No money could buy this silent old time bearer. Nearly in a case is the little towel he used in laying the capitol cornerstone. In another are his wedding gloves, his pocket compasses, farm spurs, a piece of his tent used at Yorktown, his old-fashioned medicine sashes and an eloquent token of his reverence for his mother—a little knife she gave to him as a reward.

for his obedience and which he treasured for fifty years.

The Williams picture, painted from life in 1774, hangs on another wall. It cannot escape the eye, for it is much unlike the accepted likenesses of Washington. It shows the man in his extreme old age and is the only genuine life picture extant. In Masonic regalia. His Masonic apron, embroidered in gold with French and American flags entwined, presented to the lodge in 1812 by his nephew, Lawrence Lewis, hangs nearby. The only original painting of Lord Fairfax, Washington's early patron and friend, is also there.

The master's chair, occupied by General Washington in presiding over the lodge, stands in a glass case, from which it is removed only on extraordinary occasions. It is 122 years old and was in constant use for 117 years. Scores of other things of his day, the old chairs and benches of the lodge still in use, the front door key of the Bastille, presented in 1825 by Lafayette, which have come from relatives and friends, are valued beyond estimate.

MASONS OF ONE ACCORD. There had been a sentiment against choosing a new site for the memorial, but for a great many reasons the one proposed on Washington street is better fitted to the purposes of a national undertaking and the necessities have outweighed the patriotic sentiment and have won a grand consensus to the new site.

Yesterday's first meeting, held in lodge room, adjourned at noon and all went to Mount Vernon by a special train. The party of distinguished men walked along the bluff that overlooks the majestic river and held a wreath upon the tomb. They then returned to the lodge at Alexandria for conferring of degrees.

Last night, at the annual banquet of old lodge, Secretary of War Dickinson, James D. Richardson, governor, grand commander, Scottish Rite Master, representatives Charles C. Carling and Champ Clark and the Rev. John Wesley Hill, D. D., of New York, spoke.

WOMAN IS BEATEN BY BRUTAL THUG

Mrs. Louise Blanc Set Upon by Burglar Who Is Routed by Spouse.

In a room of the lodging house conducted by herself at 537 Eighth street, Mrs. Louise Blanc, last evening set upon and severely beaten by a robber. Her loud screams brought the assistance of her husband who was in a bath at the time. He grappled with the intruder and after giving him a severe beating kicked him down the long flight of stairs to the street, where he was joined by a companion with whom he rapidly disappeared.

According to the report that Justin Blanc made to the police this morning, the assailant was described as being a man in a suit, about 30 years of age, black suit and with short black hair. He seemed to be either under the influence of liquor or some drug. He had appeared at the lodging house at 9 o'clock and asked the landlady for a room. She opened one for him and said the price was 50 cents, which he declared to be too high. She then led him to a cheaper one in a remote corner of the place. When she opened the door, the man seized her and, throwing her to the floor, attempted to secure a purse which she held beneath her.

The husband arrived before the thug had accomplished his purpose.

Two Girls Put Coat Of Red on Princeton

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. — When the students and faculty of Princeton awoke yesterday morning they found the red building of the Theological Seminary, the new town hall and the walk in front of the residence of General Alfred Woodhull gayly decorated in red paint.

The inscription which seemed to spell an outbreak of freshman enthusiasm included "23 Ye Semineles," "Oh, You Kid," "1913," "1918," and "Oh, You Nassau Hall." The surprise lay in the fact that in 1903 the students had promised never again to paint up the town and the faculty had put the penalty of expulsion upon any student found using the paint brush.

The entire police force and faculty sleuths and students hunted freshmen dormitories hunting traces of anything red. In front of General Woodhull's residence were the paint cans, but a brush found in a neighboring yard gave the real clue.

Two little girls had stolen out in the night and painted up the town. They were not even sub-freshmen, and as Princeton is not co-educational, they never can have any direct alliance with the University. They were Elizabeth Howe, age fourteen, daughter of Emerson Howe, a prominent resident of Princeton, and Katherine Trowbridge, thirteen, daughter of Professor Augustus Trowbridge.

It is not likely that any action will be taken against them.

A proposition to make them honorary members of the freshman class was voted down on the advice of conservative and friendly juniors.

One Violent Sneeze Twists Spinal Cord

ALTOONA, Pa., Feb. 23. — Giving way to an impulse, Jacob L. Ledy, a conductor for the Altoona and Luzerne Valley Traction company, let go with a sneeze that was heard half a block away and fell senseless to the platform of his car.

Physicians who were summoned declared that he had twisted his spinal cord and was fatally injured.

Ledy remained unconscious for several hours. Medical authorities declare this to be a most remarkable case, and they cannot account for the result that followed his sneeze.

Homeseekers Ordered To "Rush" for Lands

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23. — Senator Frank P. Flint yesterday sent a telegram to the weary ones who are still maintaining the line in this city hoping to be the first to file on the Yuma lands, practically informing them that the order of Secretary Ballinger will stand.

The secretary's order disrupted the line and ordered all home seekers to take their chances in a "grand rush," on the morning of March 1.

INQUEST HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Coroner Tisdale Will Probe Into Cause of San Lorenzo Explosion.

HAYWARD, Feb. 23. — The inquest over the remains of the nine victims of the explosion that wrecked the plant of the Trojan Powder Company near San Leandro last Thursday morning is being held this afternoon, commencing at 2 o'clock, in the branch morgue in this city. Coroner C. L. Tisdale, who will conduct the inquest, has appointed A. W. Beam, L. B. Chandler, John Smith, Thomas Diaz, M. C. Peterson, Samuel Hutchins and Edward Haas to serve on the jury.

MARTINA TO TESTIFY. Superintendent M. Martina, who left the night of the explosion to go to his parents' home in Goldfield, Nev., to recover from severe cuts on the head and arms, has returned to San Leandro. He will be called upon to give evidence in testimony in regard to the operation of the plant, and the supposed non-explosive qualities of the powder in its making. Officials of the company will also be called upon, as will as the employees of the works who escaped injury.

Sheriff Tisdale intends to conduct a strict investigation in regard to the explosion, owing to the reports that inexperienced men were employed in delicate parts of the process used in making the explosive, and that the buildings were not too close for safety.

PAY LOW WAGES. Inquiry among the men reveals the fact that the company paid extremely low wages. Lewis, the young San Leandro man who was killed instantly in the mixing house, is alleged to have only received \$1.5 a day for his work, while the other men's average wage was \$2. The girls who rolled the paper shells for the explosive and did other light work received only \$5 a week it is claimed.

The men who lost their lives in the explosion were Chemist Reuben Thary, John Duarte, Lewis Elmer C. Goulding, Alphons Zoos, James McCarthy, Henry Onrat and three Chinese.

COMMISSION TO BEAUTIFY CITY

San Leandro Body Will Have Supervision Over All Tree Planting.

SAN LEANDRO, Feb. 23. — The planting of shade trees on every street, the parking of all the public squares and the encouragement of beautiful private gardens and grounds by offering prizes in San Leandro, was assured last night by the Board of Trustees, who passed an ordinance creating the Park, Tree and Flower Commission. This step was one of the most important taken in some time by the board, as it means that San Leandro will become the first suburban town in California, with tree-lined highways and shady drives that will be widely known.

WOMEN MEMBERS. The new commission, which will not take office until May 1, will be composed of the president of the Board of Trustees and four other members, two of whom must be women. The Trustees declared that the women of a city are more instrumental in its beautification than are the men, and that they should therefore be represented on the commission. It is to meet once a month and will elect a secretary and treasurer each May, the Mayor acting as chairman ex-officio.

HAVE COMPLETE CHARGE.

In the ordinance passed last night the commission is given complete charge of the planting, trimming and care of all trees and flowers in the streets, sidewalks or public parks, and is authorized to offer prizes to both adults and children for the best-kept gardens. These prizes will probably be awarded once or twice a year by the commission.

To assist the commission in executing its designs a special tax levy of 2 cents on the \$100, to be known as the park, tree and flower fund, was authorized. On the present assessed valuation of the city, \$2,000,000, this tax will give the commission a fund of \$400. Any private who plants, removes or trims a tree or flower in the streets or parks is made liable to a fine not exceeding \$100 or three months in the County Jail.

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317 TWELFTH STREET.

2 lbs. ----- 72c

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Fancy Ranch Eggs, 30c doz.

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14th ave. bet. 13th and 14th.

35th and San Pablo.

7th and Adeline.

Becker's Market, 13th st.

GETS SELF KNOCKED DOWN BY CARRIAGE TO OBTAIN A MEAL

NEW YORK, Feb. 23. — Charles Smith, a house painter with no home, told the hospital physician today that he was so hungry last night that he allowed himself to be knocked down and run over in order that he might obtain a meal.

Smith was crossing an up-town street when a horse driven by a finely dressed woman came along. He stepped in front of the horse, was knocked down and the run-about passed over him.

A policeman wanted to arrest the woman but Smith refused to make a complaint, saying that all he wanted was money enough to get a meal. The woman handed him \$5 and she was allowed to go in her way. Smith's injuries are trifling.

School Slates Are Barred by Doctors

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23. — Slates and sponges have been eliminated from the schools of McKeesport by order of the health officer because of the prevalence of scarlet fever. Officials maintain that they are germ breeders, and are, in a great measure, responsible for many cases of the disease in the city.

The teachers' desks were found filled with contraband confiscated from pupils, which were to be kept until the end of the term. The desks have been ordered cleared, and all confiscated articles must be returned at the end of each day's session.

Districts to Merge Fire Department Fund

To bring about the dissolution of the McKeesport Fire District and permit the funds and apparatus to be turned over to the Oakland Fire Department, petitions are being circulated. The district was recently annexed to Oakland and fire protection has been assumed by the Oakland department. Some \$2000 remains in the treasury of the McKeesport Fire District. A similar petition will be circulated in Fruitvale, where there is about \$17,000 in the treasury of the fire district.

DON'T GET RUN DOWN

Weak and miserable. If you have Kidney or Bladder trouble, Dull head pains, Dizziness, Nervousness, Pains in the back, and feel tired all over, get a package of Mother Gray's AUSTRALIAN-LEAF, the pleasant herb cure. It never fails. We have many testimonials from grateful people who have used this wonderful remedy. As a rule, it takes no equal. Ask for Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf at Druggists or sent by mail for 50c. Sample FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

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Walsh Railroads Are To be Reorganized

CHICAGO, Feb. 23. — An announcement of a complete reorganization of the three railroads which brought about the financial downfall of John R. Walsh, the Southern Indiana, the Illinois Southern and the Chicago Southern railways, is expected soon. The clearing-house banks of Chicago took over the roads following the financial settlement between the banks, on the one side, and Mr. Walsh and the guarantors on his \$7,000,000 note, on the other.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 23. — The semiannual statement of the Louisville and Nashville railroad company for the six months ending December 31, issued today, shows a surplus applicable to dividends of \$6,514,342. This is at a rate of 7-10 per cent on the \$60,000,000 stock of the company.

The gross earnings increased \$2,439,632, and the operating expenses increased \$490,351. The percentage of operating expenses to the gross earnings declined 4.74 per cent. The surplus earnings increased \$2,231,750.

Half Million Lost in Pattern House Fire

PUEBLO, Colo., Feb. 23. — Fire of unknown origin last night destroyed the pattern storehouse of the Minnesota plant of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company. On account of the excessive heat, firemen could not go near enough to the building to check the flames. No one was injured.

Fatally Injured in Falling From Train

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 23. — Lucia Gregoria, an Austrian, 33 years old, on his way from Los Angeles, Cal., to Trieste, Austria, was standing on the platform of a New York Central express train near Woodsport last night, when a cold breeze blew off his hat. Gregoria reached for his hat, fell over the guardrail and was fatally injured. He was taken to Joseph's hospital. The train was speeding at the rate of fifty miles an hour.

CAN YOU

Make Room for a Piano?

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On account of defective roof we had to move around the corner into the above quarters. Our quarters are very small, but in a very accessible location. On account of premises being small for the stock on hand, for a few days only, all rented pianos will be delivered free. If you are going to be in the market later on, and haven't money to put into a piano for the time being, we will let you have the use of any make of a fine new instrument free. If same should suit you, when you get ready, we would be glad to talk business with you, and in the meantime, we would be obliged to you for giving it storage room and a test which we know you will not forget, although you may not be ready for a piano for a long time. We have in our bargain list the following: Three Fischers, mahogany and rosewood cases, from \$60 to \$165; two Kohler & Chase, as good as the name, \$75 to \$85; one Vose, \$180; one Chickering upright, small, \$135; like new, and twenty others. One Heine 10 years old, good as new, \$240. Heine Piano Company removed to 534 Fourteenth street, under Touraine Hotel, near City Hall.

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Some of these imitations even go so far as to use the name "Ground Chocolate" made popular by our product, in an attempt to get a little business from those who are accustomed to buy only "Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate."

The manufacturers of these imitations are unknown for the names appearing on the labels are not the names of chocolate manufacturers. So you have no means of knowing what kind of material you are being asked to drink.

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A Secret Aid to Prosecution.

Patrick Calhoun has laid before the San Francisco Grand Jury translations of a series of cipher code communications printed in the "personal" column of the Examiner during the period when the most sensational of the so-called graft trials were in progress. It is not likely that the identity of the senders of these singular messages will ever be revealed, for the precautions adopted to prevent detection have apparently closed the door to a solution of the mystery. However, the cryptograms are an interesting study if read in connection with the daily record of events during the period they cover and to which they evidently so closely relate. Probably William J. Burns could tell all about this cryptogramic correspondence if he chose.

The cryptograms carry internal evidence of several things which clearly indicate their origin and purpose. They were apparently messages and orders passing between persons familiar with every step in the proceedings relating to the graft prosecutions. They evidence hostility to the defendants and a desire to assist the prosecution. Some of the messages carry the note of authority and the replies are notifications of obedience.

Some of the messages plainly refer to persons called to sit in the graft cases—giving notice to somebody to keep this or that man on the jury and get rid of others. Three jurors who held out for conviction in different trials are referred to as desirable men to keep. Their subsequent action showed the information conveyed in this secret and furtive manner was absolutely correct. The men were accepted as jurymen and did stand out for conviction.

One is naturally puzzled to explain why information so important should have been transmitted in such a roundabout manner. Possibly there were persons communicating with each other who did not wish, for some reason or other, to hold any personal intercourse with or be, apparently, in any connection with one another. Men may have been signaling to each other who did not even meet or pretend to have any interest or purpose in common. Then, it is not improbable that some secret agency or organization was taking a hand in the graft prosecution and helping the prosecution while avoiding all semblance of doing so.

In any event, the cryptograms open a wide field for speculation. They explain some things, but they bring up other mysteries for solution. They are part of the unwritten history of a drama of intrigue, chicane and espionage that never yet had its counterpart in the United States.

Our Shabby School Grounds.

Oakland has some of the finest school buildings in the United States. They are handsome and imposing when viewed from the outside, and their interior finish and arrangement heighten the admiration excited by the exterior aspect. The people of this city are justly proud of them, for they favorably impress every visitor who sees them.

But unfortunately the grounds surrounding these fine school buildings are wholly out of keeping with the structures. For the most part the grounds are unkempt and artistically arranged. The lawns and shrubbery are shabby and ill-cared for. No skill and little interest is displayed in cultivating and arranging the flower beds and grass plots. The effect is incongruous and disappointing to the eye.

It is said that the peacock struts and spreads his plumage proudly till he looks at his feet. The moment his eyes fall on his ungainly pedal extremities his feathers sheathe and droop and he slinks away humbled and crestfallen. The ugliness of his feet takes all the glory out of the splendor of his gorgeous tail, his pride falls and he feels like hiding himself away from sight.

That is about the way the people of Oakland feel when their eyes drop from the magnificent school buildings they have erected as temples of education to the scrawny shrubs and untended grounds in which they are set. They feel ashamed for themselves and for the city.

Why is so little attention paid to the grounds around our school houses? Who is responsible for their neglected and shabby appearance? Why is comparison in this respect with Berkeley and Alameda so unfavorable to Oakland? In Alameda and Berkeley the schoolhouses are set in green, well-trimmed lawns gay with flowers and beautiful shrubs, but in Oakland the gardening on the school grounds is of the old "deestrick skule" order—no order, no care and no regard for artistic effects. Can't things be bettered in this respect? The expense will not be great, and the change will add enormously to the looks of the city. Here's a chance for the Outdoor Art League to do a little missionary work.

In Texas the farmers have stopped fighting the boll weevil to make war on the worm of the still. It does not seem to have occurred to them that the easiest and surest way to win the battle is to starve the creature to death.

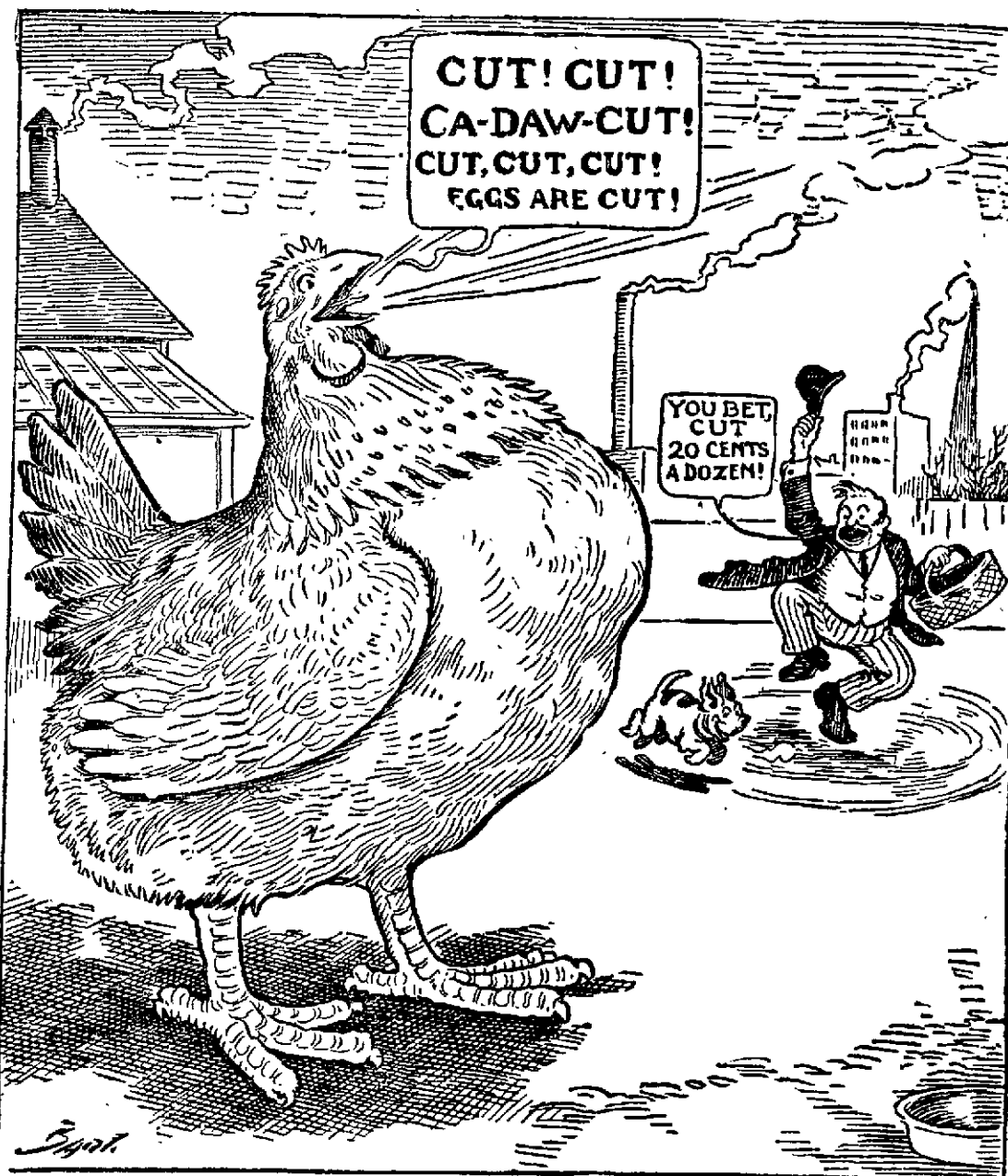
Now that the Lincoln-Roosevelt League has nominated Hiram Johnson for Governor, it is up to the regular organization to nominate his father, Hon. Grove L. Johnson, so that the office will remain in the family, no matter how the primary election goes.

President David Starr Jordan, speaking from a San Francisco pulpit, said no man could honestly come by a million dollars unless it was given to him or came to him by inheritance. Is this a delicate admission that the endowment of Stanford University is the fruit of dishonesty?

The Lincoln-Roosevelt Leaguers are giving all the aid and comfort they can to the efforts of Theodore A. Bell to again secure the Democratic nomination for Governor. Apparently they propose to vote for Bell if Hiram Johnson fails to get the Republican nomination.

Again it is announced that the Mount Tamalpais murder has been solved and the victim identified. This time the identification appears to be based upon material grounds, on something more substantial than mere surmises and guesswork. But how the woman came to her death is still a mystery. In all probability, she was murdered—though this would be difficult to establish—but who perpetrated the crime, if crime it was, is still a matter of conjecture. Half a dozen times previously the remains were identified after a fashion, but in each instance fatal flaws in the identification soon revealed themselves. The first victim turned up alive, and other sensational theories came to a similar inglorious end. However, patient investigation is at last bearing fruit. There is little doubt now that the dead woman was Rosa McKay, a domestic with an affinity and dissipated habits. There is now a good prospect that the whole matter of her disappearance will be cleared up, which will be a good thing, for respect for the law and its agents is always enhanced by the unraveling of mysterious crimes and perplexing tragedies.

Hark, From the Coop, a Joyful Sound!



—MINNEAPOLIS JOURNAL.

Misuse of Cold Storage Keeps Up Food Prices, Says the Press

REAL ANTAGONISM.

"There is no great popular antagonism to cold storage as such. The complaint is against the mercenary and merciless abuse of the system, whoever does the trick."—New York Press.

DECLARES IT A CRIME.

"If all the great cold storage warehouses are crowded and crammed with meats and other food held to wring extortionate prices from the people, it is a crime only paralleled by the cornering by Pharaoh of all the breadstuffs in ancient Egypt. As there was no legal relief then, it may be asked if there is none now save by violent revolution?"—New Orleans Picayune.

MAKING "CORNERS" POSSIBLE.

"Before the days of the present great systems of cold storage many products were sold at once and prices were moderate, but since those systems have prevailed it has been possible to keep goods stored for an indefinite time, thereby making 'corners' possible. A shortage in the supply of farm products and combinations in restraint of trade may have had considerable to do with exorbitant prices, but the vast storage systems should not be overlooked by the investigators of the causes for the present prices of food products."—Boston Globe.

WOULD PUNISH THE TRUST.

"A combination of speculators who put food products into cold storage, keeping them there so as to force up the price to an unreasonable height, ought to be reached by preventive legislation. It is the trust that puts up the price which should be punished rather than the cold storage proprietor who merely leases his space."—Utica Press.

CALLS FOR REGULATION.

"First, for the sake of health and next for the sake of unrestricted trade, these cold storage plants require severe regulation at the hands of the Federal government. Whatever may be the preservative powers of an arctic temperature, the average stom-

ach recoils from flesh or fowl that has been dead for ten months."—Atlanta Journal.

STIMULATES DISCUSSION.

"The alleged discovery of meat ten months old in a cold storage plant near New York will stimulate public discussion of the food problem. How long can the products of the packing houses be safely kept under such conditions, and what are they worth as food when they have been held up for nearly a year?"—Providence Journal.

DANGEROUS POSSIBILITIES.

"The storage of food products has reached such enormous proportions that in the hands of unscrupulous men it possesses dangerous possibilities as an engine of extortion. Investigations made since the agitation against high prices began show that cold storage has become an inviting field for speculators, who are not satisfied to carry the surplus of a product from one season to another, but undertake the promotion of 'corners' for the inflation of prices."—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

Flag of Napoleon

Lord Archibald Campbell has presented to the Army Museum here a curious relic of Napoleon. This is the flag which the latter flew in the Isle of Elba during his captivity there. General Noix, custodian of the museum, has placed it in one of the rooms, where it can now be seen. The flag, which seems to have been entirely invented by Napoleon, although some say that it was in part suggested by that of Cosmo del Medici, a former sovereign of the island, is rather a strange standard. It is square, white and fringed with gold, bearing three gold bees and a diagonal scarlet stripe. The staff carries a white and scarlet scarf, having also three gold bees. Napoleon does not seem to have used the flag as invented elsewhere than in the Isle of Elba, where he was a dethroned and captive monarch. In France, although bees were already his emblem, and were embroidered on his State robes, his standard was the tricolor.—London Telegraph.

Bachelor's Musings

Finance is making money for yourself out of other people's. Intelligence is much more comfortable to live with than intellect. A girl should not attempt to sing with feeling when she feels badly. Most people can be convinced more easily with a club than with logic. A woman can admire a man for his virtues, but love him for his faults. A man would rather brag about how well he can make his furnace work than really have it do it.

Really the Best Continent

Europe, by virtue of its age, accumulations and population, is now the most important part of our globe, and it will doubtless long remain the chief banker of the nations and the chief seat of culture, but for its own prosperity it will depend more and more upon this continent. Thus the whole British imperialistic scheme would fall to the ground without Canada. Canada alone of British colonies could pour a stream of grain into Britain. Sunbaked Australia already sees the limits of her narrow wheat fields. India cannot feed herself. New Zealand is too small, and South Africa, with her deserts, and half deserts, is a cattle country.

In return for the food of the United States and Canada not England alone but all Europe sends back a swelling tide of human beings, besides which her emigration to other parts of the world is small. No human effort can change this current, because it is based upon the solid facts of soil, climate, mineral resources and position.

Asia is twice as large as North America, but it is not worth half as much to man. Ninety per cent of its enormous population lives in the east and southeast upon one eighth of its area. The remainder is mostly mountain and desert. Its greatest continuous fertile territory, the valley of the Yellow River, in China, is exceeded by the valley of the Mississippi eight-fold. Mesopotamia, which seemed so great to the ancient world, is smaller than the state of New York and must be irrigated. Palestine is a mere dot on the map and partly desert at that. Portions of Siberia are good for wheat, but there is no promise of the vast stretches that North America furnishes.

Africa, aside from her gold, plays little part in the economic world, and that portion of her area settled to the white man is small. But nature, in addition to giving North America fertile fields, has stored the continent with minerals of every kind, of the highest quality and in the greatest abundance, to a degree matched by no other continent.

The North Americans have a heritage which they must preserve not for themselves only, but for civilization.—New York World.

The Stimulus Of Rebuff

Hard conditions, desperate circumstances, great poverty and hardships have ever developed the giants of the race. The resources, the powerful reserves lie too deep in many people to be aroused, awakened by any ordinary conditions or circumstances. These people are like the great Marmite shells that can be thrown about with impunity, that children may play with, but which require the terrific impact caused by being fired through the steel armor of a warship to explode them. It takes a great crisis, a tremendous emergency to explode the giant powder in many people.

Some natures never come to themselves, never discover their real strength until they meet with opposition or failure. Their reserve of power lies so deep within them that any ordinary stimulus does not arouse it. But when they are ridiculed, "sat down upon," or when they are abused, insulted, a new force seems to be born in them, and they do things which before would have seemed impossible.—Success.

"Cutting a Watermelon"

The Pullman Company which is too poor to pay sleeping-car porters living wages, is to cut a \$20,000,000 "melon" next month.

This melon comes in the form of a surplus, and the cutting is known as a "stock dividend." In financial circles it is technically described as "capitalizing surplus." The company retains the cash and undertakes to pay dividends on the new stock. This \$20,000,000, representing realized earning capacity, is water, just as stock representing anticipated earning capacity is water. It is a mere reversal of the other operation. The one proceeding

is as vicious as the other and both are the products of the policy of "charging all the traffic will bear," which is extortion—the inevitable product of monopoly.

A novel view of this phase of corporate accumulations came out in the hearing on the recent merger of telephone and telegraph concerns. Asked if surplus earnings, retained and made to earn for the company, might not eventually become so productive that service could be given for nothing, the president of the Postal Company said such a condition was theoretically possible.

How such accumulations will be utilized under predicted conditions is problematical, but certainly no act of privilege so eloquently voices the demand for the regulation of monopoly's charges as the "cutting of a melon."—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

Municipal Ownership

"Possibly a municipally owned cold storage house would help the law of supply and demand over the rough places."—Chicago News.

Twenty Years Ago in Oakland

Frederick Ward appears in "The Mountebank" at the Oakland theater. City Attorney Johnson replies to statement made by Councilman Evans that he did not favor street improving ordinance.

Charles O'Neill and Charles Isaacson engaged to play on new Oakland baseball team.

Mrs. Sarah E. Harris, of Washington, D. C., dies at home of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Stewart, 1029 East Twenty-eighth street.

an early pioneer, dies after short illness.

Council asked to rescind order for opening West street.

City wins point in suit of Edison Adams, who claimed the annexation of territory in East Oakland was not lawful.

George F. Crist, East Oakland pioneer, dies at his home.

Mrs. Sarah Ann Robertson of this city dies.

Oakland Lodge of Odd Fellows holds annual celebration.

LEADING AMUSEMENTS

TWELFTH AND CLAY STREETS.
PHONE OAKLAND 71; HOME PHONE 4381.

Opheum

MATINEE EVERY DAY
Artistic Vaudeville

SELDON'S VENUS; FIVE MOWATTS; CHARLES KENNA; KATE WATSON AND GIE COHEN; GIE EDWARDS; KENTON KIDS; ARTHUR WHITE-LAW; PRATO'S SIMIAN CIRQUE; NEW ORPHEUM MOTION PICTURES.

Notice—By universal request, revival of the Incomparable Play "The Fifth Commandment" By JULIUS STEGER and Company.

PRICES—Evenings, 10c, 25c, 50c, 75c. Box Seats, \$1. Matinees (except Sundays and Holidays) 10c, 25c, 50c.

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DIRECTION H.W. BISHOP
PHONES OAK. 73, A 3073
ENTIRE HOUSE
ALL PERFORMANCES
TONIGHT AND ALL THIS WEEK
First Presentation in Oakland of

The Warrens of Virginia

David Belasco's Famous Civil War Play.
Next Monday—James M. Barnes, "THE LITTLE MINISTER"

MACDONOUGH THEATER

TONIGHT AND TWO NIGHTS MORE.
H. H. CAMPBELL, Mgr.
Phones Oak. 67; Home A 2927.

BLANCHE WALSH THE TEST

By Jules Eckert Goodman. It is a play that should be seen by every man, woman and child in every walk of life.—New York World.
Coming—"THE RIGHT OF WAY." Sunday (Matinee) Night and Monday and Tuesday, February 27 and 28 and March 1.

BELL THEATER

NO HOLD-OVER ACTS
The Puzzling, My enthralling Exposition,
LORA "The Human Bird"
Augustus Neville & Co., in the skit
And a Great Bill of Novelties Throughout, "Politics and Petticoats"

What Forty Acres of Land Has Produced in Japan

Japan has in its main islands, exclusive of Formosa and Karafuto, a population of 48,542,738, and the area of its cultivated fields is 27,321 square miles. This is 2277 people to the square mile.

There are also maintained 2,600,000 cattle and horses, nearly all of which are laboring animals, giving a population of 142 people and seven horses and cattle to each forty acres of cultivated field.

One of the Japanese farmers told an American visitor that he owned and was cultivating fifteen mow of land, which is two and one-half acres and that besides his team—a cow and small donkey—he usually fed two pigs.

"This is at the rate of 192 people, sixteen cows, sixteen donkeys, and thirty-two pigs on a forty acre farm, and a population density of 3772 people, 250 cows, 256 donkeys and 512 swine per square mile.

"As early as 1872 she had established an agricultural college. For several years the soil survey of the main islands has been completed with

large scale maps and is made the basis of values for national petefuctural and local land taxes. She has an admirable system of road maintenance in effective operation.

"She has many agricultural experiment stations, nine of which we visited, and the equipment at Tokio for soil investigation is superior to anything yet provided in this country. We have more pretentious buildings but their resources are more largely used in providing appliances and men for rigid, accurate research work.

"I visited one of their dormitories at the agricultural college connected with the Fukuoka experiment station, and here young men are provided with room and board at \$4 gold per month. From the two colleges of highest rank that had graduated in 1907, 1041 students; from their 139 A and B classes of agricultural schools of second rank they had graduated in 1906, 12,371, and from the still lower grade of third rank there graduated in 1905 from the 2450 supplementary agricultural schools 14,027."—Farm and Fireside.

An Advertising Test Sale

Of Pianos and Player Pianos of Greatest Magnitude

The Baldwin Company, Piano Manufacturers, decides to test the advertising strength of various daily papers of the cities on the Bay, and offers great saving to all buyers in return for information given.

You can save canvasser and solicitor's commission by purchasing at this sale, securing your piano direct from maker to the home.

Big Sale Now in Progress

And lasts ten days only. Investigate early. Out of city customers should write or phone immediately.

Open Evenings, 1075 Clay St.

In announcing this great advertising test sale of Pianos, Player Pianos, etc., we wish to take the public, the piano buying public, into our confidence, make a plain statement of fact and tell our very good reason for making the extraordinary statements found in this advertisement.

We have always found that the very best and most valuable advertisement for our instruments is the influence of our customers. We have just closed a great year's business—by far the largest in the history of our house. And as our plans for this year deal with a great increase of business over 1909, and a much larger appropriation for advertising, we decided to test the advertising strength of the different papers in our territory. This, you will agree, is only fair to us and fair to the newspapers. We, of course, do not expect advertising in newspapers to sell pianos for us, but we do expect them to bring us customers.

Read the particulars in the coupon, bring us two names of friends who are without pianos that we may mail them catalogues and our special factory proposition.

One Price--Plain Figures

All our instruments are marked one price in plain figures and you can easily figure the exact saving to you.

SPECIAL PREMIUM OFFER

\$2.00 for \$1.00

Should you, in addition to your coupon, decide to pay any cash when selecting your piano, we will give you a receipt for \$2.00 for every dollar you pay up to \$25.00.

EXAMPLE

Bring Coupon and get credit for.....	\$ 50.00
Bring Coupon and pay \$5 and get credit for...	60.00
Bring Coupon and pay \$10 and get credit for...	70.00
Bring Coupon and pay \$15 and get credit for...	80.00
Bring Coupon and pay \$20 and get credit for...	90.00
Bring Coupon and pay \$25 and get credit for...	100.00

If low prices attract you, if a large variety pleases you, if an assurance of reliability appeals to you, then your own self-interest should prompt you to attend this great sale.

The Baldwin Company

INCORPORATED
FACTORY WAREHOUSES
OAKLAND

1075 Clay Street, Near Twelfth St.

Hatchetman on Trial For Tong War Murder

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Seventy-five talesmen appeared before Superior Judge Dunne this morning and were examined in the highlander

war case of Gee Gong, accused of the murder of Yee Yip Woo. Counsel on both sides are exercising extreme care in the questioning and acceptance of the veniremen summoned, and attaches of both parties are watching the jury to make sure that no efforts are made to influence them, as it is claimed was the case on the previous trial of the same matter.

CHINN BERETTA

—The reason why we make no charge for attaching "C-B" cushions

—We wish it clearly understood that no one shall feel under any obligations to us for attaching the break-preventing "C. B." cushions to their glasses.
—We feel that it is a device that must be tried by a great many people for some time before its efficiency is publicly appreciated and are thankful to every one who favors us by taking advantage of our offer.
—It costs us 35c a set to attach these cushions, but the satisfaction that will follow

every pair of glasses thus equipped is worth many times 35c to us.
—The fact that we so energetically encourage the installation of a "break-preventing" attachment is proof of the broad spirit so characteristic of "C. B." service. We desire above all things that wearers of glasses shall be satisfied. And there is nothing so dissatisfying as a broken lens.
—Non-customers are particularly invited to take advantage of this offer.

"An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

466 13th St., Bet. Broadway and Washington, Oakland
Stores also in San Francisco, Sacramento, Stockton, Fresno and Vallejo.

ABSTRACTERS DENY STORY

THEY WILL RAISE PRICES

Large Concerns Have Only Reached the Agreement to Regulate Charges in the Various Districts, It Is Said

Denial was made today by the four large abstract companies of this city that control the business of searching records for the clearing of titles to property that they intended to again increase the prices that have been charged for their work.

Mr. Holland, of the Stocker & Holland Abstract Company, said this afternoon that in the October agreement of records entered into an agreement by which the price then charged was readjusted and graduated on the basis of location of property and property value.

NEW AGREEMENT PRICES.
Prior to this agreement the companies received only from \$15 to \$20 for full certificates of title, and only a minimum for continuations of their certificates. Under the October agreement, the scale of prices was fixed from \$15 covering full certificates to \$40 covering those of property in the heart of the city for continuation of certificates.

At this time it was also agreed that property in Washington, Eden and Murray towns outside of incorporated cities, should be \$20 for full certificate, and a graduated price downward for continuations, and that in the incorporated towns full certificates should cost \$15, and the extensions graduated downward from that amount, according to the number made.

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ASTRONOMER-PRIEST FEARS

NO DANGER FROM COMET

Father Searle Ridicules Reports That Disaster May Result From the Poisonous Gases

When the earth passes through the tail of Halley's comet, which will happen before long, it is the assertion of Rev. George M. Searle, the astronomer-priest, that the poisonous gases will have practically no effect upon the inhabitants of the earth. The idea of disaster or of even any serious discomfort is ridiculed by Father Searle, who is one of the most eminent astronomers of the day. He is now in Berkeley, residing at the Newman Club, where he is making a particular study of the celestial tramp, and his figures and calculations are bound to carry some weight in astronomical circles.

CLOSE TO VENUS.

About the first of May the comet will pass very close to the planet Venus, thus giving an excellent opportunity for comparison of their relative sizes. Father Searle states that while the comet is a mass much larger in size than that body, it is not of the same solid substance as other satellites, and that it weighs practically nothing in comparison.

Just how near the shooting body will pass to Venus is not exactly known, but if the two should collide there would certainly be a crash that would be felt through several million miles of space and the resulting shower of stars would undoubtedly make a magnificent display of heavenly fireworks.

The comet has fourteen million miles of tail and the composition of its gases is not exactly known. The body may be opaque, and as it is in direct line with the earth and the sun a shower may be thrown upon the latter body, and again it may be invisible.

STRUCK BY TAILS.

"We were in the tail of a large comet in 1861 and the fact was not known until after it had transpired. No effects were noticed at the time," said Father Searle in discussing the matter, "and in the case of Halley's comet we may only be able to detect its gases by scientific instruments."

"The comet was first detected by Dr. Wolf of Heidelberg, who got it on a photograph, but did not see it. When once found it is comparatively easy to tell when it comes to perihelion. I made the calculation that it would arrive in perihelion April 18th, 1910, Greenwich mean time. The Pacific Coast time is about 8 o'clock in the evening, April 19th. It will be seen in the morning sky about the middle of April before sunrise, and it will then be coming pretty straight toward the earth at the rate of about forty-five miles a second, both the comet and the earth coming toward each other."

"On the evening of May 18th we shall be right in the tail of the comet. Now we don't know what the tail is; in fact, we are not sure it is gas at all."

ONE IS KILLED AND

MANY ARE INJURED

Rock Island Passenger Train Collides With Street Car in Streets of Denver.

DENVER, Feb. 23.—One woman was killed, a motorman was fatally injured and another man seriously hurt in a collision here this afternoon between a Rock Island passenger train and a street car.

The train going at full speed struck the front part of the street car and knocked it 50 feet away and overturned it, but the half dozen passengers, with the exception of one woman, escaped by jumping. John J. Joyce, the motorman, is blamed for the accident. Contrary to the rules, he had gone ahead to give the signal, leaving the car in charge of a student motorman, who is said to have given the signal to go ahead.

The collision ensued almost immediately and Joyce was caught and hurled against a shed, his skull being fractured. The student motorman was also seriously hurt.

Reading R. R. Reduces

Labor to 8 Hours

Falling Off in Traffic Given As Cause for the Reduction.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.—The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company late this afternoon issued a general order reducing the hours of labor in all locomotive and car shops on its system to 8 hours a day, effecting a reduction in expenses of about 15 per cent. Falling off of traffic is given as the cause.

"Conservation," Theme Of Pardee's Address

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—Former Governor George C. Pardee spoke here last night at the Chamber of Commerce banquet on "What Is Conservation?" He declared that the people's property had been taken through wholesale frauds, perjuries and corruptions, and that enormous fortunes have been piled up, because they have been based upon fraudulent practices, are contrary to public policy.

Frank Short took the opposite side of the question from that of the Alameda man, and urged that the corporations had benefited the nation and added many times to its wealth.

Socialist Party Plans

Boom for Suffragists

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Women's day will be celebrated by the Socialist party throughout the United States on Monday next, and meetings to honor the suffrage movement will be held in many cities. The principal New York demonstration will take place in Carnegie Hall.

BALLINGER WILL

RESIGN, IS REPORT

News Agency Sends Out Statement That Secretary Will Quit.

A news agency is sending out the following report today: WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Friends of Richard A. Ballinger, Secretary of the Interior, today hint that the secretary intends to resign his portfolio in the near future. The hint was given when the Congressional investigation into the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy ends.

Snow Covers Seattle; Railroads in Trouble

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 23.—Snow, which began falling early last night, continued throughout the night and this morning the western portion of the State is covered to a depth of several inches. The temperature is a little below freezing.

Reports received from the Cascade mountains say that severe snowstorms are raging there and that the railroads are having difficulty keeping their lines open.

ALL BLADDER MISERY GOES

Backache Vanishes and Your Kidneys and Bladder Act Fine After a Few Doses.

If you take several doses of Pape's Diuretic all backache and distress from out-of-order kidneys or bladder trouble will vanish and you will feel fine. Lame back, painful stitches, rheumatism, nervous headache, dizziness, irritability, sleeplessness, inflamed or swollen eyelids, worn-out, sick feeling and other symptoms of sluggish, inactive kidneys will disappear.

Uncontrollable, smarting, frequent urination (especially at night) and all bladder misery ends.

Feeling miserable and worried is needless, because this unusual preparation goes at once to the disordered kidneys, bladder and urinary system and distributes its healing, cleansing and vitalizing influence directly upon the organs and glands affected, and completes the cure before you realize it.

The moment you suspect any kidney or urinary disorder or feel rheumatism pains, begin taking this harmless medicine, with the knowledge that there is no other remedy at any price made anywhere else in the world which will effect so thorough and prompt a cure as a 50 cent treatment of Pape's Diuretic, which any druggist can supply.

Your physician, pharmacist, banker or any mercantile agency will tell you that Pape, Thompson & Pape of Cincinnati is a large and responsible medicinal concern.

Only curative results can come from taking Pape's Diuretic, and a few days' treatment means clean, active, healthy kidneys, bladder and urinary organs—and no backache.

LIQUOR IS BLAMED

FOR MUCH CRIME

Leniency Is Granted Where Crime Was Committed While Drunk.

When Charles Maye appeared before Superior Judge Brown this forenoon to hear his sentence on his plea of guilty to burglary in the second degree, the prisoner declared that he was drunk when he broke into the cabin of several Western Pacific laborers, near Niles, and stole their provisions, a butcher-knife and about one hundred cigars. Judge Brown gave him the light punishment of one year in the penitentiary at San Quentin, saying that he believed liquor was more to blame for the crime than vicious criminality. Maye declared that this was true, stating that if he had the money he would willingly give a million dollars rather than be in the predicament he was in.

"It is to be hoped that the year you put away will break you of the liquor habit," remarked Judge Brown as he sent Maye away in charge of a deputy sheriff.

Charges Her Spouse

With Array of Sins

Asserting that because of his idleness, profligacy and dissipation, her husband for more than two years has failed to provide her with the common necessities of life, Emma K. Johnson has instituted suit in the Superior Court for a divorce from Warren C. Johnson, United States mail weigher at the Southern Pacific company's Oakland pier. The couple were married in San Francisco in December, 1904, and, aside from a legal severance of the marital ties that exist, Mrs. Johnson asks the court to order Johnson to pay her attorney's fees, the costs of her suit and \$25 a month as permanent alimony.

PIEDMONT TURKISH BATHS.
Salt water swim. Twenty-fourth and Oakland avenue.

ITALIAN QUARTETTE A BIG CARD

The Four Melanis at the Bell Theater This Week Prove very popular



The four Melanis are all to the good. There have been singing acts without number, but none to compare with the high class character of these work these Four Castilian Serenaders turn out at the Bell.

Three of this quartette are men, while the fourth member is Senorita Melani, the possessor of a rich contralto voice that blends pleasingly with the three others. Their costumes

are suggestive of street musicians, but one forgets the incongruous assortment in the charming melodies they produce.

Lora, "The Human Bird," is a mathematical wizard who proves an enigma to the audience. She possesses the power of memorizing the most difficult calculating propositions. Another feature of her act is her ability to name and describe various objects suggested by the audience.

SKAT

THE SOAP THAT CLEANS EVERYTHING

SOLD EVERYWHERE

"A-1" Flour

Made In California's Largest Mill

Which is also the finest, cleanest, most modern flour mill on this entire coast. We are so proud of this mill, of the fine machinery installed and the sanitary methods employed for making "A1" Flour that we are glad to show it to the public. The Globe Mills invites you and your friends to inspect the mill any Tuesday or Thursday, when we will take pleasure in showing you throughout the plant. The "Seawall" car will bring you within a block of the mill.

\$250 Prize Contest

Closes Next Friday

Have you sent in your verse yet on the merits of "A1" FLOUR? Do it now or it will be too late. Not more than four lines, or a one line catch phrase, that we can use in advertising "A1" Flour. First prize \$100, second \$75, third \$50, five prizes each \$5.00. PROF. M. C. FLAHERTY will make final decision in the contest. Address your verse to "A1" FLOUR PRIZE CONTEST.

GLOBE MILLS

Chestnut and Montgomery Streets, San Francisco.



Tonight and Every Night

YOU DINE IN THE CITY

GO TO

TAIT-ZINKAND CAFE

168 O'Farrell St., S.F.

Opposite Orpheum.

A dinner for two persons with a pint of sparkling Sauterne or a pint of sparkling Burgundy for \$1.50 per person.

Between the hours of 5:30 p. m. and 8:30 p. m.

This will be the best served dinner in San Francisco.

MUSIC

BY THE IMPERIAL HUNGARIAN ORCHESTRA.

San Francisco, Nov. 21, 1909.

Dr. Wong Him, 1288 O'Farrell St., San Francisco.

Dear Sir: For several months I suffered with terrible agonies of pain in my stomach, not being able to eat or retain any food. I got no relief until I was recommended to you. After the first treatment I got relief, and now, after several months' treatment of your herb medicine, I feel entirely cured of my trouble. During my treatment with you I have gained 30 pounds. I tender you my most sincere thanks, and remain gratefully yours,

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ADMITS FRUIT TRAINS ON U. P. ARE SLOW

A. L. Mohler on Stand in U. S. Probe Into the Merger.

OFFICIAL SAYS SPEED SATISFIES THE SHIPPERS

Declares Agreement Exists But Cannot Tell Anything More About It.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Freight train speed on the Union Pacific was gone into at length today by Government Counsel Severance in examining A. L. Mohler, general manager of the Union Pacific. In the government suit to dissolve the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific merger.

Comparing the tabulated figures which the witness said had been prepared by the American Railway Association, the Santa Fe, Great Northern Northern Pacific and other partly single track lines were shown by the table presented to average much better time than the Union Pacific, particularly on the scheduled time of their green fruit trains.

"According to these figures, then," said Mr. Severance, "the slowest time in the United States is made on the Union Pacific."

"Yes, that appears to be so," said Mr. Mohler.

HAS AGREEMENT WITH SHIPPERS. The witness said the green fruit train schedule was entirely satisfactory to shippers. He dropped a remark that there was an agreement as to this. Mr. Severance immediately became interested.

"I'd be very glad to learn something about this agreement," said the attorney.

Mr. Mohler was not able to enlighten the government counsel very much. He had been informed by the Southern Pacific officials that there had been some sort of an agreement with shippers but just what it was he did not know.

Neither could he tell about the six-day green fruit train from Los Angeles to Chicago over the San Pedro and the Denver and Rio Grande. This train was withdrawn, it appeared, when all the competitors put up a stiff protest.

WHY TRAIN IS SLOWER. The much discussed 54-hour freight train between Council Bluffs and Ogden, which was made a 160-hour train in 1907, was alluded to by the witness, who said congestion of traffic had made operations at the original speed impossible.

The witness was cross questioned regarding the Union Pacific's express for improvement.

It had been shown that the Federal law required the construction of stock yards where cattle might be watered and fed en route.

"That, of course, has been to our interest," he said. "The public is worth more to us alive than dead."

Coroner's Inquest Fails To Reveal Identity

ALAMEDA, Feb. 22.—An inquest held yesterday at the branch morgue failed to reveal the identity of the man who came to his death by drowning in the estuary.

Captain Sorenson, who found the body floating in the waters, testified Dr. J. Emmet Clark was also a witness.

The unknown was buried in the potter's field several days ago after being held for identification at the morgue for a week.

To Banquet the Odd Fellows' Grand Officers

ALAMEDA, Feb. 22.—District Deputy Grand William Nicholson will feast the grand officers of Eucal Lodge of Odd Fellows tomorrow evening at his home, 2412 Eagle avenue. Nicholson has prepared an entertaining program of music and song for his guests.

Will Be a Big City

Everyone believes the future of Oakland will expand northward. It will soon be a continuous city to Point Richmond.

Fairmount Park (Berkeley) is the cream of residence property.

Get a free lot. Every paid classified advertiser can participate.

OAKLAND TRIBUNE.

Removal Notice

THE Woman's Exchange

is now located in its new home, 372-375 Fourteenth Street, bet. Bay and Jefferson.

MIRRORS RESILVERED

French and American Looking OAKLAND MIRROR & GLASS BEVELING WORKS, 818 Adeline st. Both phones.

MAYOR MCCARTHY ASKS FOR MORE DETAILS FROM JACOBS

Denies Canard of His Being Intoxicated; Jacobs Replies That He Only Heard Such a Thing Rumored

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—The following correspondence relates to the charge made by Isador Jacobs that Mayor McCarthy of this city looked too strong on the flowing bowl. Mayor McCarthy himself accuses Jacobs of having produced the names of nine society women into the controversy, but there is nothing in any of the letters to tell who they are.

The Mayor's letter to Jacobs follows: Mr. Isador Jacobs, I am informed upon the solemn declarations of very responsible persons, that you have, while visiting recently at the Palace Hotel in Napa, made the unqualified declaration in the presence of various witnesses that P. H. McCarthy, since being elected Mayor of San Francisco, has been frequently "drunk," and that you are prepared to prove by the testimony of nine "society ladies" that P. H. McCarthy was hopelessly drunk at Tall's cafe within recent days.

Realizing the utter falsity of such a malicious canard, and hesitating to believe that you would assume the responsibility for such rash statements, I write to ask that you kindly make known to me your position in the matter. If, indeed, utterance has been given to such a vile falsehood, it would become my duty, both as the Mayor of the city, who would be unfit to serve if such a story were true, and as a man of family, who cherishes his reputation, to give full opportunity to the author of such a statement, to prove his charge in public, or, failing in this, to make fair and adequate retraction.

I sincerely hope that you have been misquoted and take this opportunity to ask that you assure me upon this point. If, however, you have felt justified in assuming responsibility for the charge above quoted, I have no option but to proceed by legal methods to disprove the assertions attributed to you. I owe a duty to the citizens who elected me to my family and to my friends, and that duty I am determined to discharge.

I trust that you will accord this communication your earnest and immediate consideration, and that you will enlighten me as to your position in the matter without delay.

Respectfully,
P. H. MCCARTHY, Mayor.

JACOBS' REPLY.

This reply was made to the mayor by Jacobs:

Hon. P. H. McCarthy, Mayor of San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter of February 22nd, and am extremely glad that you wrote me in reference to this matter. The ad-

vice that you have, that I made any such unqualified statement, are false, as I had and have no knowledge of anything of the kind having happened. There was considerable conversation there at Napa, and in the course of conversation the statement was made by me that I had heard from others that you had been drinking heavily, etc., but that, of course, one never knew whether those reports were true or not. I also stated that if it were true I was sorry to hear of it, because some friends of mine who had known you for years had stated that during the time they knew you you were never known to indulge in liquor to excess.

I regret exceedingly having repeated statements made by others, and assure you that hereafter, in justice to you, I shall refrain from doing so. Should I hear any of these reports again, I shall take pleasure in showing your letter to the parties—in fact, I intend today to show your letter to the party that reported these things. He is a reporter on one of the morning newspapers of this city.

I wish to assure you of my best wishes for such an administration of your office as will redound to the best interests of San Francisco and her future welfare.

Yours sincerely,
ISIDOR JACOBS.

LEFFINGWELL EXPLAINS.

Secretary Leffingwell makes this statement as to his reason for making known the correspondence between all of the parties concerned.

"Inasmuch as this matter has been broached in print, I conceive it to be my duty to give the complete correspondence to the public. Mayor McCarthy is absent in Los Angeles, but I know that he would wish the full text of the correspondence to be made known now that the matter has come under the public notice at all.

"No person in San Francisco, excepting Mayor McCarthy and myself, know of this incident this side of Isidor Jacobs himself, and I therefore assume that Mr. Jacobs has talked the matter into print, since it could have gained publicity through ourselves.

"Mayor McCarthy did not wish the incident to gain publicity, particularly in view of the fact that Mr. Jacobs had offered a complete explanation. In justice to the Mayor, however, all of the facts may as well be known now.

"Personally I have no comment to make, and merely follow out my duty as secretary to the Mayor in giving full publicity to an incident which by partial report might place the Mayor in a wrong light."

Mayor McCarthy's return from Los Angeles is expected to intersect a new phase into the controversy.

3 NEAR DEATH FROM A GAS JET LEFT OPEN

Aged Couple and Grandchild in Critical Condition in Hospital.

TRIO WAS FOUND BY MOTHER OF LITTLE GIRL

Child Has Best Chance to Recover From Effects of Deadly Fumes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—Three lives were almost snuffed out and an aged couple and a little seven-year-old school girl are lying in a critical condition at the German Hospital, partially asphyxiated by the deadly fumes of illuminating gas as the result of an accident last evening.

Mrs. John Eng, 74 and 72 years old respectably, and Mabel Lutterkork, aged 7 years, are the victims of the deadly poison, and only the fact that the child was due to leave her home for school at 8:30 led to their discovery and perhaps saved the lives of one or two of them.

DID NOT TURN IT OFF TIGHT. Mabel Lutterkork, the daughter of C. H. Lutterkork of the firm of Lutterkork, tailors, in the Phelan building, and lives at 162 Henry street. The little girl sleeps in the same room with her grandparents, and it is supposed that Eng, turning off the light, failed to quite extinguish the supply of gas.

When the child did not appear to go to school this morning, her mother went to her room and was horrified to find her own mother and father and the little girl unconscious. Dr. G. F. Brackett was immediately summoned and worked over the trio while an ambulance was sent for and on its arrival all were conveyed to the German Hospital.

CHILD HAS BEST CHANCE. Of the three, Mabel Lutterkork has the best chance of recovery, but the child, owing to her age, are in a serious condition. The family are prostrated over the occurrence and Mrs. Lutterkork is worried almost to distraction over the plight which may at one blow take three of her dear ones.

CHANGES MADE IN S. F. POLICE FORCE

Captain Anderson Sent Back to Harbor Station, Captain Wall Succeeds Him.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—Chief of Police John Martin yesterday entirely reorganized the police department. Captain M. C. Anderson was removed as head of the detective bureau and assigned to duty at the harbor station. Captain H. Wall was installed as chief of detectives. Patrolman Bernard J. Judge succeeded T. A. Atchison as property clerk.

DETECTIVE SERGEANTS CHANGED. The following detective sergeants were directed to report as patrolmen: D. J. Driscoll, Company B; J. A. Fitzgerald, Company H; J. B. Freese, Company B; J. C. Gough, Company I; C. H. Mulcahey, Company D; T. C. Murphy, Company B; A. P. McQuade, Company B; William F. O'Connell, Company G; and Joseph Redmond, Company H. The following were appointed as their successors: Corporal J. F. Dinan, Corporal J. B. Collins, Sergeant James McGowan and Patrolman Ernest McGowan, William Tamm, D. F. Sullivan, George Graham, Peter Fanning, William Minnehan, W. F. McHugh and P. D. McPartland. McPartland will succeed Gibson in charge of the bureau of identification.

E. J. Gibson of Company E, chief of the bureau of identification, has been appointed station keeper to succeed J. H. Mann, who will report for regular duty.

SPECIAL CHANGES. The following officers employed on special duty heretofore have been ordered back to regular duty.

Policeman Louis Balleto, A. F. MacPhee, R. M. Silver and Charles Taylor. They, and those formerly removed, are succeeded by Policemen J. B. Sullivan, J. F. Drolette, George Casel, R. A. Curtin, Bert W. Emmett Moore, H. W. Crowley, J. H. Farrell, M. Behan, W. J. Cavanaugh, Thomas Daly, J. L. Nelson, P. Campbell, T. P. Maloney, Thomas Furman and George H. Ryan.

Sergeant J. J. O'Meara, chief clerk to former Chief of Police Cook, has been transferred to the Southern station, changing places with Sergeant B. Harter. Sergeant Harry Cills has been relieved from desk duty in the city prison and assigned to Company D. He is succeeded in office by Patrolman M. J. Connell. George Collins, floorman in the city prison, has been removed in favor of P. J. Whelan. Patrolman J. B. Maloney succeeds John Edwards as doorman.

POLICE DETAILS CHANGED. Of the staff in the police courts, Policeman James Fogarty and A. C. Williams are discharged from duty as bailiffs in Police Court No. 1, to report to their companies. The vacancies created are filled by J. J. O'Meara, C. O'Connell, Patrolman J. F. Rooney is appointed bailiff in Police Court No. 2. M. C. Maloney has been relieved as bailiff in Police Court No. 3 to be succeeded by Andrew Bimlinger. The vacancy caused by the promotion of Minnehan from bailiff to detective sergeant has been filled by Felix Daugherty.

In Police Court No. 4 J. R. Dolan and J. R. Murphy have been removed from positions of bailiff to be succeeded by Ed Ward and Guy Ward. Patrolman W. W. Wilson is transferred from Company D to Company A.

FREEZING IN CHICAGO. CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Chicago experienced its coldest weather of the year today when the thermometer registered below zero for two hours.

Society Woman Sets Fashion For the Yacht and Sailboat



MRS. R. H. GARCEY, whose skill in handling ocean yacht has brought her distinction.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Mrs. R. H. Garcey, a beautiful daughter of the old Werbrook family of Antwerp, is setting the fashions on sea this year, and her penchant for the yacht and sailboat has exercised an influence over a dozen or more smart matrons in her set, who are taking to the tiller and mast cord for recreation, shelling the erstwhile popular game of bridge to partake in the outdoor sport.

Mrs. Garcey has become quite an adept in the handling of a boat, and this year she has been her husband's constant companion in his numerous long trips, which have carried him as far south as New Zealand, east to the Philippines and north by the great lakes.

She is one of the most beautiful women in England, according to King Edward, whose admiration of her has been frankly expressed time and again. Of distinguished ancestry, she is descended from the Werbrook family on her mother's side, and her grandfather was lord mayor of Antwerp when Napoleon remodeled and improved the city.

On her father's side she claims noble birth, hailing from the best Danish stock. Her paternal grandmother, the Marquise von Ebbensen, was one of the most noted beauties in the reign of King Christian, and a warm favorite with the royal monarch.

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SOCIETY MEN SHOT DOWN BY ANGRY NEGRO

Two Are Probably Fatally Wounded in Affray in Smoking Car.

TWO OTHERS GRAPPLE WITH THE ASSAILANT

One Hangs on as Would-be Murderer Leaps From the Speeding Train.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Harrison Higbee and Leslie Lord, young men socially prominent in North New Jersey, were probably fatally wounded today by an infuriated negro in the smoking car of a New Jersey Central train in which they were riding to their homes in Newark.

Accompanying Higbee and Lord were Gale Young of Newark and his cousin, Roger Young of Newark. Soon after the train left Jersey City, the negro, who was accompanied by another man and a woman of his race, accused the four young college men of making remarks about the woman. Lord was about to reply, but Higbee told him to keep quiet.

BEGINS SHOOTING. "Don't you tell me to keep quiet," yelled the negro as he leaped to his feet and drew a revolver.

The first bullet went through Lord's stomach. The second entered Higbee's chest and Gale and Roger Young leaped at the negro. He continued shooting, the shots causing a panic in the car and passengers stampeded for the doors or hid under seats.

Gale Young went down under a blow on the head, but Roger held on to the man who had emptied his pistol and was so powerful that he dragged Roger with him to the platform. Young held on, however, and when the negro leaped from the train while it was making twenty miles an hour, Young went with him.

DISAPPEARS IN DARKNESS. In striking the embankment Young's grip on the negro was broken and the desperado disappeared in the darkness. His companions also leaped from the train and got away.

When the train was stopped the wounded men were taken to a hospital in Jersey City where it was said they would probably die. Roger Young was found on the track stunned but not seriously hurt.

Watch for Robins To Indicate Spring

DENVER, Feb. 22.—The local weather bureau is today looking for the robins that mark the coming of spring. Much milder temperatures were reported from the mountains and the traditional backbone of winter appears to have been badly fractured. It was 10 above in Denver this morning, the same at Pueblo and 12 above at Leadville. Fair and warmer weather is predicted.

Demand Jury Trial On Battery Charge

Rodney McClure and O. L. Jones, accused of battery on the person of Mrs. P. M. Harper, appeared this morning before Justice of the Peace James Quinn, who presided in the place of Judge Smith in police court No. 2, the regular judge being out of town, and there was set to March 29, when the men will be tried by jury.

B'NAI B'RITH ENDS AFTER MOST SUCCESSFUL MEET

Officers Elected for 1910 and Delegates Chosen to Constitutional Grand Lodge, Which Meets in Boston During April

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—The deliberations of the forty-seventh annual convention of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, which opened auspiciously last Sunday afternoon in King Solomon's Hall, will be brought to a close today after a successful meeting.

One of the features of the session yesterday afternoon was the election of officers for the year 1910 and the selection of delegates to the Constitutional Grand Lodge, which will be held in April in Boston.

The officers who will conduct the affairs of the order for the year are as follows:

Grand President, Isaac Sweet, Portland.

First Vice-President, Otto Irving Golden.

Second Vice-President, Isidor Golden.

Delegates to Constitutional Grand Lodge: Edwin I. Wolfe.

M. H. Wasserwitz.

I. J. Ascheim.

Max Goldberg.

D. S. Hirsberg.

A. Jonas.

Is Your Bungalow or Cottage For Sale?

We are arranging a novel plan for the disposal of Bungalows, Cottages, etc., in the \$1000, \$2000, \$3000, \$4000, \$5000 classes. We can find you a buyer through this unique plan.

This is of interest to those who may want to sell their homes to contractors who build for investment, or to real estate men who represent numerous clients with homes for sale. Phone and our representative will call and see you.

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Superiority of Sex Is Kansas Problem

LAWRENCE, Kans., Feb. 22.—"Are women better students than men, or is it that the men are only lazier than the women?"

This question is troubling heads of departments of the University of Kansas, as the result of recent examinations in the College of Liberal Arts.

When the number of men who failed in more than one third of their work outnumbered the women five to one. The class is composed of about an equal number of men and women.

Nab Japanese for Breaking Fish Law

HAYWARD, Feb. 22.—Deputy Game Warden J. Borge of San Leandro caught T. Haki and Ito Sura, Japanese in the employ of F. C. Talbot, catching small trout with a net in San Leandro creek yesterday afternoon, which is against the law. Haki was wielding the net, while Sura had a bucket to hold the trout. They were taken before Justice of the Peace Frowse. Haki pleaded guilty, declaring that his companion was not to blame and did not know it was illegal. Justice Frowse, as they waived a trial, fined Haki \$100 and dismissed the charge against Sura.

Three Are Killed in Cane Cutters' Strike

POINT A PITRE, Guadalupe, Feb. 22.—During a clash today between striking sugar cane cutters and the soldiers, three strikers were killed and several wounded. Two gendarmes received wounds. The sugar fields are burning, having been fired by the strikers.

Removal Notice

THE Woman's Exchange

WORKMAN RESCUED AFTER HOURS IN GAS TANK

& CHASE
ADWAY
AND 11TH STS.

& CHASE
ADWAY
AND 11TH STS.

PROF. RISING LEFT ESTATE VALUED AT \$150,000

Each of Three Children Given
\$100 and Most of Estate
Goes to Wife

SHE IS TO DISTRIBUTE IT
LATER TO THE FAMILY

Amount of Noted Educator's
Estate Was a Surprise to
All His Friends.

According to the petition filed in the Superior Court this morning by the Berkeley Bank of Savings and Trust Company for the probate of the will of the late Professor Willard B. Rising, head of the department of chemistry of the University of California, who died on the 9th day of February, the assets left by the savant is worth nearly \$150,000.

The will, which accompanies the petition, is a brief instrument written by the testator on February 21, 1908, and is as follows:

TERMS OF WILL.

"February 21, 1908.
"I, Willard B. Rising, of the County of Berkeley, Alameda County, California, being of sound mind, do make this my last will and testament. I give and bequeath unto each of my three children, viz: Ruth Menicanti, now living in Rome, Italy, to Alice Rising and to Lawrence Rising of Berkeley, California, one hundred (\$100) dollars. I bequeath the remainder of my property, both real and personal, to my beloved wife, Sarah Frances Rising, believing that she will make a good and equitable division of the same to our children. In case of her death before the above-named children, I direct that the property be divided between our children, share and share alike. In case of the death of Ruth Menicanti, what would have been her share shall be given to her children. In case of the death of Alice Rising or Lawrence Rising, one or both their share or shares is to be divided among the survivors.
"I appoint the Berkeley Bank of Savings and Trust Company to act as my executor."

"W. B. RISING."

"Berkeley, February 21, 1908."
The property character of Professor Rising's estate is as follows: Cash in bank, \$200; real estate in the County of Alameda, personal property, consisting of stocks and bonds, of the probable value of \$100,000.

ELMHURST SEEKS FIRE PROTECTION

Mayor Mott Today Promised
to Take Up Question With
Fire Chief Ball.

"Give back to the people the money they paid for the lot. The property is not the most important factor in the erection and establishment of a fire house, and we cannot build the house with the present finances." City Engineer Turner made this statement at the Board of Public Works meeting this morning in answer to the appeal of a delegate from the Elmhurst Improvement Club for fire protection in that section of the newly annexed territory.
J. C. Hood, secretary of the improvement club, headed the delegation which presented itself before the board. Hood was spokesman of the delegation and explained to the members of the board that the people of that district had been prompt in their payment of the funds necessary to purchase the land which was to be given to the city in return for the erection and maintenance of a fire house for the fire protection which at present they do not have. He stated that the people who had paid this money were somewhat skeptical about the city erecting the fire house and asked that he might take back to them the promise of the board that something would be done.
"We can recommend that this matter be considered in the next budget, but we can do nothing now," said the city engineer.
Turner then figured on a blotter that the cost of a fire house in Elmhurst would be \$30,000 and the purchase of horses, harness and equipment would bring this amount up to \$40,000.

APPEALED TO MAYOR.

Hood then turned to the Mayor. He said: "The people of Elmhurst do not expect the city to erect a \$20,000 fire house by any means. Such a building is not necessary. The homes of the residents of this section, which is thickly populated, are continually at the mercy of fires. All that is necessary is a house large enough to accommodate a chemical engine for present needs."

PROMISED THEM AID.

Mayor Mott took a different view of the matter than did City Engineer Turner.
"We will do all that is possible in this matter," he said. "We intend to bond the city shortly for the erection of fire houses in that section, but this is a matter of immediate necessity and we will confer with the chief of the fire department regarding what can be done. We will do all we can for the protection of the people in your district."
The delegation seemed entirely satisfied with this statement and the matter was put over until the next meeting of the board.

American Conductor Released From Jail

FORT SCOTT, Kas., Feb. 23.—J. A. Cook, the American railway conductor who has been in jail at Fort Scott for six months and was released today, had to give a \$3000 bond, which was furnished by the Brotherhood of Conductors of America. His release is taken here as equivalent to a dismissal of the charges against him.

Leroy Percy, Senator From Mississippi

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 23.—The two houses of the Mississippi Legislature in joint session, today unanimously elected Leroy Percy as United States Senator to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator McQuinn, which expires on March 4, 1914.

BRILLIANT WELCOME TO BARONESS DE BAZUS NOTABLES GATHER TO GREET GUEST

Press Club Reception Was
Attended by Famous
Folk.

A brilliant company of literary and artists who have added luster to the fame of California assembled last night at the reception tendered by the Alameda County Press Club to Baroness de Bazus, better known as Mrs. Frank Leslie.
The reception was given in the ballroom of the Key Route Inn, which was beautifully decorated with spring blossoms.
Baroness Bazus, who carries her years well and who is one of the most gracious and most handsome women in the public eye, was greeted in a shimmering black robe, with ropes and strands of magnificent jewels. The black of her gown was a last deference to her period of mourning assumed two years ago for her husband, the Marquis Campo Alegre, who died a few days before the date set for their wedding, and the gorgeous pearls and diamonds were a tribute to the local press club, for word had gone abroad that the reception would be essentially a dress affair. It was.

MANY GOWNS.

Many beautiful gowns were worn and brilliant jewels and the scene was more like that at a society ball than at an affair sacred to Bohemia.
Joaquin Miller, in his familiar Milesque garb, paid eloquent tribute to the genius of Frank Leslie, the founder of the Frank Leslie Publishing Company, and to the business ability of the woman, now Baroness de Bazus, who perpetuated the integrity of her husband's name after his demise, and who has also won laurels for her literary efforts. Miller also recited "Mothers of Men," eliciting much applause.

Mrs. Wallace Wheaton Briggs sang two vocal solos, accompanied by Mrs. R. M. Hughes. Miss Alice Davies, a charming young virtuoso, gave two charming violin solos. She was accompanied by Miss Mildred Turner.

RECEIVING PARTY.

In the receiving party were: Mrs. Florence Cleveland, Mrs. Zoe Green Radcliffe, Mrs. Heester Dickinson, Mrs. Jojo Miller, Mrs. Chas. Rowe Dr. Ellsworth, Mrs. Frank Soule, Mrs. Albert Smith. The young women who dispensed punch were: Miss Vera Conolly, Miss Jean Baker, Miss Burdette, The Misses Rad-Smith.
About 300 guests were present to pay their respects to Baroness de Bazus, to the infant press club, which, in the sixth month of its existence, now has three brilliant receptions to its credit.

HEESEMAN GETS PERMIT TO ENLARGE HIS STORE Obtains Sanction to Make Radical Improvements in Old Buildings on Thirteenth Street

C. J. Heeseman today obtained a permit from the Board of Public Works for the improvement of the building on the southwest corner of Thirteenth and Broadway streets, at present occupied by G. Mosbacher and the boy's department of Heeseman's store.
The prominent business man intends to expend \$2500 in re-fitting this building with steel beams and brick walls. The structure is at present two stories in height and of the old style of architecture. Although under the contemplated improvements no new stories will be added, it is planned to improve the structure to the extent that it will be more in conformity with the Physicians' building adjoining it on the south, the ground floor of which is now occupied by Heeseman's main store. The specifications also call for the excavation of a basement which will be joined to the present basement of the main store.
The property is owned by Dr. J. M. Kane, Dr. G. G. Reine and J. T. Moran. Oliver Duval & Son, with offices in the Central Bank Building, are the architects for the reconstruction work.

CONVICT POSED AS ARMY OFFICER LOCKERS LOOTED OF SIX OVERCOATS

Sentenced to Serve Eight
Months in the County
Jail.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—Thomas Edwin Heany, alias "Tommy," Harry C. King, alias "Harry C. Anderson," pleaded guilty today in the United States District Court of having impersonated an army officer and was sentenced to serve eight months in the county jail. Heany was captured in San Francisco more than a month ago.
A large number of witnesses had been summoned by the government to appear against Heany, among them being General Horatio C. King of Brooklyn, Gen. L. Spencer, United States Commissioner at St. Paul and federal officials from San Francisco and Texas.
Heany was accused of having impersonated a son of General King and obtained money from new acquaintances here on the strength of his name and title.
It was brought out in evidence that he had served time in St. Paul for a similar offense in 1894. In evidence he today Judge Welborn took cognizance of the fact that he had already been confined in jail seven months awaiting trial.
Heany is a man of attractive personality and fine physique and was a prime favorite in social circles.

Wearing Ancient Hats No Proof of Insanity

CARTHAGE, Mo., Feb. 23.—If a woman who is supposed to have property valued at \$100,000 wears antiquated bonnets, a cloak that saw its best days years ago and lives on simple food, that is no indication she is of unsound mind is the view of a jury that tried Mrs. Delich Garland for her sanity.
Mrs. Garland lives in a large brick house on South Grand street, and since the death of her husband about fifteen years ago, has been something of a recluse. Recently neighbors complained that she saw to it that her house was of proper clothing, but that she starved herself.
She was brought into the Probate Court, and despite her age was found capable of managing her own affairs and was dismissed.



BARONESS DE BAZUS, formerly Mrs. Frank Leslie, who was guest of honor at the Alameda Press Club reception at the Key Route Inn last night.

THE FIRST TO MRS. LLOYD OSBORNE AND THE SECOND TO HERMAN WHITAKER, THE EMINENT NOVELIST.

HANDSOME TOILETTES.

Among the beautiful gowns noted were the following:
Mrs. Florence Cleveland, white lace over white silk.
Mrs. Heester Dickinson, black crepe de chine.
Mrs. Jojo Miller, white lace over white silk.
Mrs. Chas. Rowe Dr. Ellsworth, black lace over black silk.
Mrs. Wallace W. Briggs, black lace over black silk.
Miss Alice Davies, white oyster grey with Irish crochet lace.
Mrs. Frank Soule, apricot messaline cream lace.
Mrs. Albert Smith, old rose silk.
Mrs. Vera Conolly, turquoise blue panne satin.

SAVAGE ATTACK IS MADE ON BRIDGE COMBINE

Trial of Senator Allds at
Albany Discloses Compact
to Pool Interest.

DEFENDANT CLAIMS
PLATT GAVE ORDERS

Accused Man Resigns As the
President Pro Tem of the
Senate

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 23.—In opening the case for the defense in the Senate investigation of Senator Conger's charge that Senator J. P. Allds accepted money to smother a bridge bill in the assembly in 1901, Martin W. Littleton, leading counsel for Allds, charged that the bridge bills were produced to show this. One of these dated April 15, 1901, and addressed to Allds, reads:
"Please hold in assembly committee on rules bills amending the highway law relative to the construction of bridges until you receive a letter from me."

BRIDGE THIEVES.

A savage attack upon the "bridge thieves" led by a man who confesses he is a bridge giver, marked the opening of Allds' defense. Littleton declared the bridge companies not only corrupted the little town officers of the State, but that the "trail of their unspeakable villainy spread over five commonwealths." He reminded the Senate that after they were indicted for conspiracy in Boston President Roosevelt appealed to Congress to curb them.
Littleton produced a copy of the famous "Cleveland agreement," by which the bridge companies of New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, West Virginia, Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana and Michigan planned in 1901 to pool their interests.

SENATORS AS WITNESSES.

Referring to the conference of the insurgent Senators at the Tennycock Hotel to oppose Allds' candidacy for president pro tem, at which Senator Conger made his original charge against Allds, Conger said he proposed to call those Senators as witnesses.
Littleton closed his address with this challenge:
"This is to be a war to the knife and to the hilt, and let the fittest survive."

BEFORE BEGINNING HIS SPEECH LITTLETON ANNOUNCED THAT ALIDS HAD FILED HIS RESIGNATION AS PRESIDENT PRO TEM OF THE SENATE.

DIVORCED FROM CONVICT SPOUSE

Woman's Photo Discloses
That He Was Not Dead,
But in Prison.

Superior Judge Harris granted an interlocutory decree of divorce this morning to Jennie B. Cochrane of 1528 Morton avenue, Alameda, from Emmet Cochrane, who is serving a term in the Federal penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., for circulating counterfeit money in the Argentine Republic with headquarters in Chicago. The name under which he was convicted was Robert E. Scott.
Mrs. Cochrane's maiden name was Baxter, and she was married to Cochrane, a small clerk, in Cheyenne. In September, 1908, he bid his wife good-bye, telling her that he was going to Mexico on a mining enterprise. She never saw him again, containing a small amount of money, was found in a bathhouse at Long Beach, and the supposition was that he was drowned there while bathing. Mrs. Cochrane went to the home of the supposed "Robert E. Scott" and there she was met by a man who resembled her husband. The affair rendered her distracted with grief and she went into mourning. She even took out letters of administration on his estate.
Then Mrs. Cochrane discovered among her husband's effects the photo of a very beautiful man, who she recognized as Cochrane had carried, and her attorney was informed by the insurance companies that instead of being dead, Cochrane was very much alive and was in Chicago on the Federal charge that after having sent him to Leavenworth, he had been released on parole. Information Mrs. Cochrane had her attorney verify the facts. Then she laid aside her mourning and instructed the lawyer to procure a divorce for her at the earliest possible moment. Mrs. Cochrane told the court that Cochrane's whole life with her had been a complete fraud.

Rebel Army Is Routed by Rivas

Chamorro and His Troops
Forced to Retire—Heavy
Losses on Both Sides.

MANAGUA, Feb. 23.—General Toledo, Nicaraguan minister of war, announced today that the government forces commanded by General Rivas and Lara have won a complete victory over the insurgents headed by General Chamorro, at Tlisma. After hours of bloody fighting the losses on both sides were heavy, but the revolutionists were finally forced to abandon their position.

Old Horses Trained Better Than Pastors

PITTSBURG, Feb. 23.—"Many a man makes a better provision for an old horse than is made by the church for the old ministers," fairly shouted the Rev. J. H. McIlvaine yesterday before a meeting of Episcopal laymen to which he had been invited.
Dr. McIlvaine, because of his prominence in the church, started his hearers with his statements, and it was recalled that several months ago he tendered his resignation with a statement intimating that a minister's efforts were not appreciated, but he was induced to reconsider his resignation with a substantial increase in salary.

TREADWELL INDICTMENTS DISMISSED BY CABANISS No Evidence to Convict Financier of Complicity in Crimes Resulting in Bank Failure

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—The two remaining indictments against James Treadwell, stockholder, director and officer of the California Safe Deposit & Trust Company, and formerly a prominent Alaskan mine promoter, were dismissed by Superior Judge Cabaniss this morning on motion of his counsel, Attorney Thomas Dozier, and Lewis F. Houghton, with the consent of the district attorney.
Treadwell, who has been living on his ranch in Alameda county almost exclusively since the failure of the bank, has twice been tried on charges of embezzlement, and on each occasion acquitted. Four true bills were returned against him by the grand jury, and the two strongest cases were picked by the district attorney for trial. The cases which were dismissed this morning involved the alleged purloining of \$25,000. The indictments were returned on December 30, 1908, and charged the embezzlement on September 4, 1908, of \$45,000, and on October 1, 1908, of \$17,500.
In making their motion counsel gave it as their opinion that there was no evidence which would justify the prosecution in going to trial. Assistant District Attorney Brennan agreed in this matter, and Judge Cabaniss stated that as the district attorney was presumed to do his duty, and as supposedly the two strongest cases had already been brought to trial, he would grant the motion.
This ends the prosecutions growing out of the failure of the bank. J. Daise Brown has been liberated after serving eighteen months in San Quentin. Walter J. Barnett is awaiting appeal of the judgment sentencing him to ten years in San Quentin, and the cases against James Treadwell and J. Daise Brown, the latter having turned state's evidence, have been dismissed.

COURT'S POSITION.

A feature of the dismissal of the charges was the position taken by Judge Cabaniss, which is exactly opposite to that assumed by Judge Lawrence in the Calhoun and other bribery cases. He averred that he would be placing the district attorney in a false position if he refused to dismiss a case at the request of that officer and forced him to prosecute an action which he believed should be stricken from the calendar.
An incident of the case is the fact that the 25,000 shares of Western Pacific stock which were put up as security for the loan of \$25,000, which the indictments accuse him of embezzling, were sold for \$35,000 by Receiver Le Breton not long since.

OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS TO ABSORB BANKERS' TRUST Next Monday the Stockholders of the Trust Company Will Vote on Consolidation

A meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Bank of Savings and of the Bankers' Trust Company to consider a proposition to consolidate the two corporations, will be held next Monday afternoon.
The present State banking law permits the savings bank to acquire the Bankers' Trust Company and carry on the trust business.
The Bankers' Trust Company was organized only a few years ago. At the beginning of the year it had deposits aggregating \$304,504.63. The Oakland Bank of Savings deposits at the same time amounted to \$115,429.13. Both institutions are quartered in the Oakland Bank of Savings' building on the northeast corner of Twelfth street and Broadway.
The directors of the Bankers' Trust Company are all locally interested in banking and its president is W. W. Garthwaite who is also president of the Oakland Bank of Savings.

In an interview this morning, James Y. Deederton, who is one of the vice-presidents of both the Oakland Bank of Savings and the Bankers' Trust company, said:
"It is up to the stockholders to determine whether the two institutions shall be consolidated.
"When the Bankers' Trust company was organized, the banking laws did not permit the incorporation of a trust department in the Oakland Bank of Savings. A separate corporation had, therefore, to be organized in order to do a trust business.
"Practically, the two institutions are now one, having the same offices and doing business on the same floor in the same building. The banking laws are now framed in such a way that the Oakland Bank of Savings may do a trust business, and the purpose of consolidation is to unite them in fact, as they are now in name, under one management, and do away with the double corporate existence."

ARSON IS ALLEGED AGAINST SAUNDERS Porter Is Charged With Trying to Burn Down St. Luke's Hospital.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Thomas E. Saunders, a porter, was placed on trial in Superior Judge Cabaniss' court today on a charge of arson for the alleged attempt to destroy St. Luke's hospital in this city.
On November 18 a fire broke out in one of the main buildings of the hospital in which a score of patients were confined, and all were rescued only after the greatest heroism on the part of nurses, doctors and attendants, and in several instances sick people added those less well off than themselves.
Saunders, who had been seen about the place earlier in the evening, and who had threatened vengeance owing to the fact that he had been discharged from his position as porter in the hospital, was suspected and later arrested by Fire Marshal Towe. The latter's investigations showed that someone had made a fire underneath the building.
The jury was secured this morning and the trial will occupy the whole day.

SAYS THE ACTOR WAS BAD SPOUSE Alcazar Comedian Sued by His Wife for Freedom From Marital Bonds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Anna Wagner, wife of A. Burton Wagner, comedian and stage favorite of the Alcazar theater, occupied the stand for a long time in Judge Van Nostrand's court this morning, testifying to the alleged cruelty and gambling propensities of her spouse, and was finally granted a divorce.
The Wagners were married in 1900, and according to the statements of the wife the husband was a gambler, and from one-third to one-half his salary in gambling, and although he promised to cease "playing the ponies" he didn't keep his word. She claims that he became worse when they moved to the city from New Orleans, and that one day he tore her shirt waist off her in order to see if she had any money concealed, which indeed she had, and which she had refused to give him. Further evidence was adduced to show that he had choked her at the St. James Hotel in this city and thrown her around considerably.
Ida B. Spence and Agnes Shandley were the corroborative witnesses, the former affirming that Mrs. Wagner had shown her black and blue spots. By stipulation the wife was granted \$25 a week alimony.

Spouse Slapped Her Face and Pulled Hair

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Because he "slapped her face and pulled her hair," Mrs. Eva Pearl Cousins brought suit for divorce this morning against her husband, Oakland Robert Cousins, to whom she was married April 23, 1906, in Oakland. The complaint specifies that the ceremony was performed by a justice of the peace, and that six months later it was once more celebrated, this time by a minister of the gospel at San Jose. In addition to the cruelty charge the wife alleges neglect and failure to provide.
Mrs. J. B. Crockett has come up from Burlingame and is visiting Mrs. Henry T. Scott at St. Francis.

Driver Injured When His Horse Runs Away

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Philip Andrios, a grocery driver, of 1898 Kansas street, was injured when his horse near Nineteenth and Potrero avenues this afternoon when the horse ran away. The animal was stopped by Policeman French conveyed to the Mission Emergency hospital and treated for a contusion of the right side and possible internal injuries.

Caspar Cohen Admits Looting the Mails

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Caspar Cohen, who after eluding the federal authorities for three years was captured in Paris recently, pleaded guilty today to a charge of robbing the mails while in the mail clerk in the local post office. He will be sentenced by Judge Van Fleet of the United States Circuit Court next Saturday.

REFUSED AID LIGHT.
The Board of Public Works this morning denied the petition of residents in the vicinity of Tenth and Wood streets for the erection of an arc light at this corner.

WOMAN'S FLIGHT AROUSES MAYOR

Says if City Does Not Aid
Unfortunate in Her Sor-
row He Will Himself.

Probation Officer Christopher Egan appeared before the board of public works this morning with the request that the city support Mary Estudillo at St. Catherine's home in San Francisco. The probation officer explained that the woman had been arrested for vagrancy and was turned over to the probation court. She is in need of attention as she is soon to become a mother. The woman was placed in the county infirmary but ran away.
This is the first case which has ever come up to the city for the support of persons in these circumstances and the board was at a loss to decide on the matter. It was at last suggested that the probation officer send the woman to the home in San Francisco and have the bill for her support presented to the city.
"If the city will not pay for the woman's support I will," declared Mayor Mott.

Charges Poison Was Placed in Stomach

Widow of Professor Vaughn Says
Strychnine Was There
After Death.

PARIS, Mo., Feb. 23.—Mrs. Alma Vaughn, through her brother, David Proctor of Kansas City, in a statement issued today, charges that if strychnine really has been found in the viscera taken from the body of her husband, Professor J. T. Vaughn, it was placed there after his death.

KIRKSVILLE, Mo., Feb. 23.—Twelve special grand jurors were summoned this afternoon to meet tomorrow for an inquiry into the death of Professor Vaughn.
The jurors will take up the report of Dr. Paul Schweitzer that he found nearly a grain of strychnine in the stomach and liver of the late Normal school educator.

Expel Broker for 'Reckless' Methods

Governors of Stock Exchange
Punish Him for Collapse of
Recent Pool.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Clifford M. Newhall, board member of the firm of J. M. Fiske & Co., was declared ineligible for reinstatement by the governors of the stock exchange today because of "reckless and unbusinesslike" methods in connection with the collapse of the Hearn-Cool pool, recently. His is equivalent to expulsion from the firm.
"Pitchfork" Tillman
Rapidly Recovering
WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Senator Benj. R. Tillman of South Carolina continued his favorable progress today and it is believed his recovery is assured.

San Francisco Society

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Miss Carme is almost here and San Francisco's smart set are planning to celebrate it. Dancing, which is tabooed at any other time during the penitential season, is permissible today because of her spouse, and was finally granted a divorce.
The Wagners were married in 1900, and according to the statements of the wife the husband was a gambler, and from one-third to one-half his salary in gambling, and although he promised to cease "playing the ponies" he didn't keep his word. She claims that he became worse when they moved to the city from New Orleans, and that one day he tore her shirt waist off her in order to see if she had any money concealed, which indeed she had, and which she had refused to give him. Further evidence was adduced to show that he had choked her at the St. James Hotel in this city and thrown her around considerably.
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Mr. G. Hochstadter arrived from Chicago and is spending a few weeks at the St. Francis.
Miss Sydney Davis is planning to leave for the East next month. She will spend some time in Boston, where she will be the guest of relatives.

Telegrams have been received from the City of Mexico from Miss Jennie Crocker and Charles Templeton Crocker announcing their safe arrival. So interesting has their trip proven that with their guests, Mrs. Mountford Wilson, Miss Helen Irwin and Harry Simpkins, they purpose remaining away several weeks longer than was originally intended.

Adieux were said yesterday most reluctantly to Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Eddy, who were leaving for the Old World. In New York they will be joined by Mrs. Gertrude Albreton and make the trip together, which will be an ideal one.

Mrs. J. B. Crockett has come up from Burlingame and is visiting Mrs. Henry T. Scott at St. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Cusnet, with their son, Morgan, are at the Potter, in Santa Barbara, enjoying the early spring.

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TRAINS STALLED IN THE MOUNTAINS

Milwaukee Train Service Is Abandoned—The Great Northern Stalled.

SEATTLE, Feb. 23.—Railroad of the Pacific coast, which has been stalled in the mountains for several days, has been stalled in the mountains for several days. The Milwaukee train service is abandoned. The Great Northern train service is stalled. The Milwaukee train service is abandoned. The Great Northern train service is stalled.

PLANS FOR FLIGHT ACROSS ATLANTIC

German Expects to Land in New York in Three Days During April.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—If Karl Dönitz of Hamburg can find a proper place in the neighborhood of New York for his dirigible, he intends to sail in his big dirigible from Germany in April. With eight motors generating 1000 horse power, he will make the trip in three days, he says. He plans to have nine passengers with him. Although his ship would easily carry ten times as many.

Would Honor Man Who Named America

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Cooperation of the government in honoring the memory of Matthias Rindman, who gave America its name, is sought by the St. D. Society of New York. Helin, J. C. Rindman, president of the society, has written President Taft suggesting such cooperation. Mr. Charles Rindman, the German poet who died in 1812, is the father of the society.

Raises Rates Under Protection of Court

OAKLAND, Feb. 23.—The rate of the Folio, which has been raised by the Folio, is being raised by the Folio. The rate of the Folio, which has been raised by the Folio, is being raised by the Folio.

RECORD OF RAINFALL

The rainfall during the past twenty-four hours, despite the frequency of showers, was 1.00 inch.

CONDUCTORS' BALL EVENT OF SEASON

Train Managers Eclipse Former Successes in Last Night's Dance.

Nearly 300 couples were present at the annual grand ball given by Gold Gate Division No. 364 Order of Railway Conductors at Maple Hall last evening. It was the largest attendance in the history of the organization and one of the most thoroughly enjoyed events of the season. The hall was decorated in attractive taste and the music was furnished by a full orchestra. Major Frank Mott and Justice Henry A. Melvill of the supreme court were guests of honor.

Fencing in Street Provokes a Protest

A protest was received this morning by the Board of Public Works from the residents of 1st and 2nd streets regarding the erection of a fence in the center of Twenty-fifth and 26th streets. The protest was received this morning by the Board of Public Works from the residents of 1st and 2nd streets regarding the erection of a fence in the center of Twenty-fifth and 26th streets.

Ladies of Maccabees Planning a Dance

Oakland, Feb. 23.—The Ladies of Maccabees will give a dance Thursday evening in Maccabees hall. The dance will be the grand ball given by Gold Gate Division No. 364 Order of Railway Conductors at Maple Hall last evening.

Fund is Raised for Memorial to McKim

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—A movement started a few weeks ago by personal friends of the late Charles F. McKim, the architect, to raise a memorial fund of \$100,000 in his honor has been successful. The fund is now in the hands of the committee. The money will be applied to ward the \$100,000 endowment fund which the American Academy in Rome is raising to honor Mr. McKim.

Memorial Exercises Of Y. M. I. Draw Mary to St. Mary's



E. F. SULLIVAN, member of District Committee annual Memorial exercises Y. M. I., Washington's Birthday.

The annual memorial exercises of the Young Men's Institute of Alameda county were held yesterday morning at St. Mary's church. The exercises were held at St. Mary's church. The exercises were held at St. Mary's church.

CROSSES OCEAN TO MAY SETTLE THE WAGE A DIVORCE MINERS' TROUBLES

Mrs. Walter McCreery Will Give Battle to Millionaire's Son.

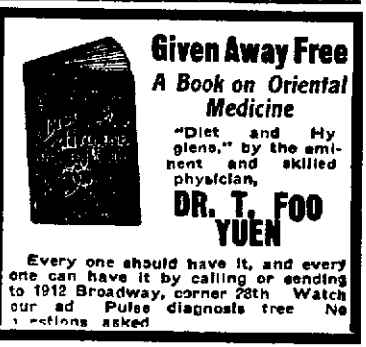
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—That unusual bitterness which characterized the McCreery divorce is indicated in the arrival of Mrs. Walter McCreery, wife of the millionaire, at the hotel. Mrs. McCreery is the wife of the millionaire.

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CONGRESS WANTS PEARY'S PROOFS

House Committee on Naval Affairs Has Had Nothing But "General Reports."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Peary's proofs that he reached the North Pole were called for by the House Committee on Naval Affairs today. A subcommittee having under consideration the several bills introduced for the purpose of conferring various rewards upon Commander Peary for his expedition, called upon the Secretary of Commerce and Labor for any official reports or proofs from Peary confirming his discovery of the Pole.

Plan Street Lighting For Annexed District

Plans for street lighting for the newly annexed district were begun today when the Board of Public Works ordered the erection of arc and incandescent lights in five different sections of the district. The Board of Public Works ordered the erection of arc and incandescent lights in five different sections of the district.

Illinois Miners Not to Press Their Contentions of Membership.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 23.—Steps which are expected by both sides to lead to an adjustment of pending problems between the coal miners and operators of a central competitive field were taken at the opening sessions here today of congresses by leaders of the interests involved. It was practically agreed that the vexed question regarding the part that Illinois operators and miners are to take in the proceedings will not be allowed to stand in the way of fixing a wage agreement before March 31st.

Packing Concerns Under Jury Ban

Reports That Indictments Have Been Found Against Ten Chicago Companies.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—According to a report current about the federal grand jury today believed to have emanated from official sources, indictments against the National Packing Company and ten subsidiary concerns have been prepared by the federal grand jury. It will be necessary that the indictments be sent to Washington to be inspected by Attorney General Wickham.

Rival to Fight for Pacific Car Trade

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23.—The signing of a contract for 100,000 boxes of tin plate to be delivered over a period covering the next six months by the Pacific Car Company today brought out the fact that this tin plate company, which is one of the biggest competitors of the American Car Company, is now in the Pacific Coast carrying trade which for years has apparently been at the mercy of the trust.

Closing Down Lid Is Blow to Windy City

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Permit the sale of no liquor after May 1 in any place where women congregate. This order given by Chief of Police Steward to his inspectors yesterday, came as a bombshell to the city. The effect of the order was to close down the saloons and the city was in a state of confusion.

Freight Rates More Satisfying, Knapp Says

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—In the opinion of Chairman Knapp of the Interstate Commerce Commission, the freight rates are more satisfactory in general than they were before. The freight rates are more satisfactory in general than they were before.

"Semi-Sane" Fourth To be Given a Trial

ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 23.—A "semi-sane" fourth of July in the words of one of the Aldermen is to be tried in Orange this year. An ordinance has been passed permitting the use of firearms and noise makers only between the hours of 6 a. m. and 7 p. m. The police are instructed to make prompt arrests of all who attempt a noisy celebration before or after those hours.

BRITISH AFFAIRS WILL NOW SUMMER

Asquith May be Driven to Decline Direction of State.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Affairs political now appear likely to simmer for some weeks until the matter of finance is disposed of unless the revolt of the advanced radicals spreads. It is conceivable that the dissatisfaction in Premier Asquith's own immediate party will become so serious as to drive the Premier into a refusal to carry on the government, but this seems hardly probable. If any component parts of the government majority desire to kick out the ministry they will have an opportunity to do so tomorrow when Asquith will be taken on the "Unionist" tariff reform amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne which is now being debated in the House of Commons.

Urges Boosting of Auxiliary State Fair

Bernard P. Miller in a communication to the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, in session this afternoon, suggested that the commercial organizations of this city should come together and promote the auxiliary State fair to be held in this city next fall. The State has appropriated \$6000 for the fair which is immediately held after the close of the Sacramento exposition.

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POSTPONED UNTIL SUNDAY.

SAN RAFAEL, Feb. 23.—On account of the unsettled weather the unveiling of the statue of the late Mayor, which was to have taken place yesterday, did not take place yesterday. The ceremony which were to take place under the auspices of the Tamalpais Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, and Superior Judge Thomas J. Lennon the unveiling of the statue of the late Mayor, which was to have taken place yesterday, did not take place yesterday.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY ORDER OF SALE AT PRIVATE SALE SHOULD NOT BE MADE

In the matter of the estate of Nils L. S. Nelson, deceased. Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate at private sale should not be made.

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ESTATE OF LUCIE BEEBE BUTTERS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda. In the matter of the estate of Lucie Beebe Butters, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Lucie Beebe Butters, deceased, having filed herein their petition praying the authority of the court to lease the property hereinafter described.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Dated Oakland January 6, 1910. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Peter M. Hynes, deceased, that all persons having claims against the said estate of Peter M. Hynes, deceased, must appear and present their claims to the undersigned administrator at his place of business in all matters connected with said estate on or before the 10th day of March, 1910.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of the estate of Edward G. Giddens, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

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In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California. In the matter of the estate of Emma J. Harrison, deceased. Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT

Burks Oil Company, a corporation organized under the laws of California, has been assessed for the purpose of the assessment of the principal place of business, Oakland, California. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors held on the 15th day of January, 1910, an assessment of three cents per share was levied on the capital stock of the corporation payable immediately to the Treasurer, E. T. Tuttle, at the office of said company, 615-19 First National Bank Building, Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND

On February 3, 1910, dividend (No. 2) was declared by the Board of Directors of the Berkeley Rock Company of (25c) per share on the basis of the last dividend of the corporation amounting to (\$2500.00) twenty-five hundred dollars to be paid out of the accumulated earnings of the corporation already accrued (hereafter to accrue) payable in United States gold coin to the stockholders of the corporation in proportion to their respective holdings on the 5th day of February, 1910.

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Mrs. Lena Carmocino, Hudson, Ohio. R. F. D. No. 7.

St. Regis Falls, N. Y.—"Two years ago I was so bad that I had to take to my bed every month, and it would last from two to three weeks. I wrote to you for advice and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in dry form. I am happy to say that I am cured, thanks to your medicine and good advice. You may use my letter for the good of others."—Mrs. J. H. Breyer, St. Regis Falls, N. Y.

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Today's Racing Results

First race, three and a half furlongs, purse—\$100 (Marion), 3 to 5; won; Edna 107 (Shilling), 9 to 10, second; Academi 107 (A. Williams), 3 to 1, third. Time, 44 1/2 s.

Second race—Six furlongs, selling; Duco 104 (Shilling), 3 to 1, won; Edna 107 (Shilling), 9 to 10, second; Academi 107 (A. Williams), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 3/4.

Third race—Six furlongs, selling; Argonaut 104 (Shilling), 3 to 1, won; No Quarter 112 (Bore), 4 to 1, second; Steel 111 (Powers), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 3/4.

SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—President Taft speaks at dinner of the Order of Cincinnati at Plaza hotel.

Major Reuben asks Governor for state militia to quell riots. Seven hundred and fifty cars wrecked.

Germany opens war on Standard Oil.

Atorney-General Wickham says freedom of issue of light on wheat.

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BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Butter—Fancy creamery, 52c; creamery seconds, 51c; fancy dairy, 48c.

Eggs—Store, 22c; fancy ranch, 22 1/2c; store, 22c; fancy ranch, 22 1/2c; store, 22c; fancy ranch, 22 1/2c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Butter—Steady; creamery, 52c; dairy, 48c; store, 22c; fancy ranch, 22 1/2c.

WOOL MARKET

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 23.—Wool—Dull; territory and domestic medium, 22c; fine medium, 22 1/2c; fine, 23c.

HOP MARKET

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 23.—Hops sold on the local market today at \$3.50.

OAKLAND SHIPPING

The following vessels arrived at and departed from Oakland today:

ARRIVALS.

Stm. Northport, 24 tons, Nelson, Bureka; 8:30 a. m.

Stm. Hercules, 20 tons, Bell, Hercules; 9:30 a. m.

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MARRIAGES, DEATHS

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

BREWFELD-PETERS—William H. Bloomfield, 24, Antioch, and Nettie V. Peters, 19, Oakland.

DEATHS.

DONALDSON—In this city, February 8, 1910, to the wife of Edward L. Donaldson, a daughter.

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Lima Bean Prices Advanced by Growers

OXNARD, Feb. 23.—The Lima Bean Growers' Association announced today that the selling price of lima beans has been advanced to \$4.25 a c. b. Southern California.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Liverpool due, 4 1/2 higher on October, 8 1/2 on March and 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 lower on other months.

Tuesday's cable opened quiet at an advance of 4 1/2 to 6 points over Monday; closed quiet but steady at an advance of 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 points over Monday.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 23.—The top price for hogs at the South St. Joseph market reached \$10.00 today.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 23.—Hogs sold here for \$10.00 per hundred.

SUGAR AND COFFEE

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Sugar—Raw, firm; Muscovado, 30 test, 3 1/2c; centrifugal, 60 test, 12 1/2c; molasses, 3 1/2c; white, 12 1/2c; brown, 12 1/2c; white, 12 1/2c; brown, 12 1/2c.

THE METAL MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Lead—Firm; spot, 4 1/2c; 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

Copper—Dull; standard, spot and March, 4 1/2c.

Sunset View Cemetery

North Berkeley

Now open. Development work has advanced steadily for the public to see and receive the portance and beauty of Sunset View Cemetery, located as it is, on the gentle western slope of the North Berkeley hills.

Oakland and Berkeley people may reach the cemetery directly by San Pablo ave., County Line cars, Berkeley by transfer to San Pablo ave., County Line cars at Dwight way or Union ave., thence by free car to cemetery.

Telephone Berkeley 6400.

GEORGE R. FLETCHER, Superintendent.

SMALL GAINS AND PROMISE OF VERY PROSPEROUS YEAR

LOSSES IN STREET STANDSTILL—Union Pacifics Show Slight Loss.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—There was a lack of decision today in the opening movement of prices of stocks, which showed small gains and losses mixed. Dealings were light. Reading was a feature, with a rise of 1 1/2. American Telephone gained 3 1/2 and American Car, Copper and Tennessee Copper large fractions. Reading increased its gain to over 2 points and there was a general rise in other stocks to above Monday's closing. The market closed at a standstill.

The power prices created a new demand, leading to a rise of 1 1/2. Bethlehem Steel advanced points and the preferred 3 1/2. The market closed at a standstill.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE

Regular Session, Stock and Bond Exchange, February 23.

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS

Associated Oil Co. 5 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 5 1/2c.

Cal. Central Nat. and Elec. Co. 10 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 10 1/2c.

WATER STOCKS

Spring Valley Water Co. 4 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

San Francisco Water Co. 4 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS

San Francisco Gas Co. 4 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

San Francisco Electric Co. 4 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

INSURANCE STOCKS

Fireman's Fund 4 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

San Francisco Fire & Marine Ins. Co. 4 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

BANK STOCKS

San Francisco Bank 4 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

San Francisco Trust Co. 4 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

POWDER STOCKS

San Francisco Powder Co. 4 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 4 1/2c.

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OIL STOCKS

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MORNING SALES

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AFTERNOON SALES—FEB. 23.

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CLOSING QUOTATIONS

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CALIFORNIA STOCK AND OIL EXCHANGE

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UPWARD TREND IN WHEAT TRADING

Liverpool Cables Have Bearish Effect on the Chicago 'Change.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Early trading in wheat has been upward, although the distant months have not shown a decided upward trend in the May delivery, which opened a shade higher at 6 1/2c. Industrial trading in the first hour brought the other futures slightly lower than the closing prices of Monday.

The market continued nervous throughout the session, the close being near the low point, with May 6 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 6 1/2c.

CORN FLUCTUATES

Corn opened 1/2c higher to 1/2c lower. Early trading was principally on the downward, although in the first hour a slight rally forced the distant futures near to Monday's close, the fluctuations being 1/2c. May fell off from 60c to 59 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 59 1/2c.

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POKERS ADVANCE

Another advance in live hogs, which today went up to 40c, caused a sharp gain in pork. Offerings were small and further advances came in the first hour, May pork standing at 22 1/2c, 100 lb. barrel, 22 1/2c.

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